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NEWS AND COMMENTS.

LET no Democrat fail to register!

SENATOR VANCE has placed himself at the disposal of the Democratic State Central Executive Committee, and will with his wonted unselfish patriotism devote all his great powers to the service of his party in the approaching campaign.

THE Congress just ended is remarkable chiefly in the fact that the wisdom of its Solons was "linked sweetness, long drawn out," and that it held the longest session in the annals of American legislation—303 days—except the 50th Congress, which sat continuously (Sundays excepted) for 321 days.

THE re-count of population of New York city is now going on under the supervision of the police authorities of the metropolis, and the contrast is refreshing between the business methods now pursued, as set forth in the daily papers, and the shiftless, unsatisfactory manner in which PORTER'S crew did their work.

THE COMTE DE PARIS—a volunteer aide on the staff of Gen. MCCLELLAN, we think, of the Army of the Potomac during the war—is about to revisit America, and will be welcomed on his arrival at New York by such gallant soldiers as Gen. SICKLES and other distinguished officers. This is well. We admire bravery wherever found.

"JULES SIMON favors the taxation of bachelors in France. He believes they ought to be made to pay for the luxury of single cussedness." The poor creatures are in a pitiable enough condition without picking their pockets under the form of law. We don't believe in throwing a man down, and then rubbing sand in his eyes after he is down.

"AN alliance between France and Russia is the latest subject of discussion in Europe." That is the natural, and only natural, alliance to be formed by these two great powers, as European politics now are. When it is once perfected France's cry of *"revanche"* may be heard to a purpose, and the aggressions of Russia will be more intolerable than ever.

REMEMBER that the Cumberland County Fair is only very little more than one month off. Get ready for it. The election will have been over, and we will all feel like coming together and fraternizing. If you have any good stock, poultry, grain of any kind, vegetables, fruits, or anything nice in the pantry or beautiful in the parlor, of your own handiwork, bring them along for exhibition. Let us make it a grand fair.

"ACCORDING to Senator CARLISLE the average rate of duties under the new tariff laws will be sixty per cent. instead of forty-five and a half per cent. as under the tariff law now in operation." Succinctly stated, the McKINLEY tariff bill adds 33½ per cent. to the tax which consumers and men of small means have to pay for using the necessaries of life. And this is the party which, after an almost uninterrupted lease of power of more than twenty-five years, has naught to show for itself except that silver is worth $1.19!

COL. ELLIOTT F. SHEPHERD—W. H. VANDERBILT'S "more different kinds of a d—d fool than any man he ever saw"—writes to JOHN M. LANGSTON, the mulatto whom Congress helped to steal a Congressional seat, congratulating him on his success, and urging him to "stir up his race in South Carolina." Such a gushing negrophiler as Col. SHEPHERD should come down South—not to take a place in a white community, where he would be ill at ease, but to erect his domicile in some spot where the color is very black, and where he would be in his element.

"SILVER was worth 91 cents under the CLEVELAND administration; to-day it is worth $1.19. These are the sort of things which have given the Republican party the confidence of the business men of the country.' Oh, yes. The Republican party's treatment of silver has gained it the "confidence of the business men of the country"—such business men as CARNEGIE, ARMOUR, JAY GOULD, *et id omne genus*. The Republican party is fashioned exactly after the hearts of monopolists and plutocrats—but how about the people, to whose lasting and serious injury pernicious legislation demonetized silver?

"WE hear that JOT CAUSEY is spreading it over the county that Democrats will vote for him for Register of Deeds. There is not a Democrat in Guilford county that will cast a vote for CAUSEY, or any other Radical on or off the ticket." We sincerely hope that the Greensboro *Democrat* is correct in speaking thus in behalf of the Guilford Democrats; but, hitherto, the difficulty has been that JOT CAUSEY as well as other Republicans could make that boast with a great deal more than a grain of truth—for the Democracy of that fine county have been much given to straying off after false gods, and they have only themselves to thank for being afflicted with Radical rule in county affairs. It is not now in order for somebody to tell us to mind our own business, for we "have been there" in past political campaigns in Guilford—*quorum (parva) pars fui*—and long to hail the political redemption of a people whom we shall never cease to esteem.

THE adjournment of Congress last week was a sorry, discreditable performance—especially the dissolution of the House, the great majority of its members having scurried away some days before like rats deserting a sinking ship. There was hardly more dignity characterizing the closing hours of this great deliberative body than marked the winding up of a session of the Radical legislature in North Carolina, when, led by MILTON S. LITTLEFIELD, "Kildee" LASSITER and other lawmakers of no less unsavory reputation, the members joined hands in a circle of fraternity, to the stirring music of "Sal's in the garden" and like melodies In Congress REED argued bills without any pretense of there being a quorum, and was met by the President of the Senate with haste equally as indecent, HARRISON sitting in a little room in the capitol building to put his "fiat" to bills whenever needed. There was no "resolution of thanks" offered to Mr. REED:—there were enough members on hand to have sat down on that proposition with elephantine weight.

SINCE OUR LAST ISSUE.

Latest News from all Parts of the World, Prepared Especially for the Readers of "The Observer."

An election was held in Georgia on the 1st inst. for Governor, State House officers, members of the General Assembly, and two amendments to the State constitution; the Legislature will be overwhelmingly of the Farmers' Alliance; a U. S. Senator is to be elected to succeed Jos. E. Brown. ——The Confederate reunion at Winchester, Va., was largely attended, and there was a grand parade of the veterans, who carried a number of old battle-flags. ——Two hundred plate-glass workers at Cochran, near Pittsburg, are on a strike, and the works have shut down. ——Gen. Lord Wolseley has assumed command of the troops in Ireland. ——Jack-the-Ripper has notified the police of Whitechapel district, London, that he is about to kill another woman. ——The seed merchants of Cape Vincent, N. Y., are vigorously at work to get in their stocks from Canada before the McKinley tariff bill goes into effect. ——The workingmen in Berlin are rejoicing over the expiration of the anti-Socialist law. —— Georgia's population is given at 1,834,366, an increase of 18.95 per cent. ——The tariff bill was signed by the President at 3:22 P. M. on the 1st inst., about twenty minutes after it was placed on his table. ——The Czar has finally consented to act as arbitrator in the matter of the boundary between French Guiana and Dutch Guiana, a question now at issue between the governments of France and Holland. ——The President has nominated Gen. E. Burd Grub, of New Jersey, as minister to Spain. ——John Williams, a coachman, of Bristol, Pa., and his brother William, living at Blackburn, N. Y., are said to have inherited $7,000,000 by the death of their uncle. ——Capt. W. D. Haynes, president of the Bristol, Elizabethton & North Carolina Railroad, a prominent lawyer and business man of Bristol, attempted suicide with an ax at his home in that city. He inflicted two or three serious though probably not fatal wounds on his head. The cause of the deed is thought to be ill health. ——The Senate has confirmed nominations of the following postmasters: Alabama, P. D. Barker, Mobile; Florida, August Hoppe, Apalachicola; Georgia, Jas. F. Doyle, Savannah; A. D. Rike, Thomasville; North Carolina, T. E. McCrary, Lexington; L. A. Bristol, Morganton; South Carolina, R. R. Talbert, Greenwood. ——The Raleigh police force made ninety-two arrests last month. ——The internal revenue receipts for the month of September in the Raleigh district were $78,543.19. ——The Central Baptist Association had a very pleasant and profitable session at Franklinton, last week. ——Letters from Russia state that the epidemic of cruelty to the Jews continues to rage with unabated fury. ——John Jacob Armstrong Astor, 4 years old, son of William Waldorf Astor, had his name changed by an order of Judge Daly of the court of common pleas, in New York city, last week, to John Jacob Astor. The change goes into effect November 1. The child's grandfather and great-grandfather had the name of John Jacob Astor, and this was the principal cause of the change. ——Fire in the Standard Oil works at Jersey City did damage amounting to $100,000. ——President Diaz, of Mexico, refused concessions asked for by two American lottery companies. ——The switchmen's convention selected Philadelphia as the place of holding its next annual meeting. ——The celebration of the 100th anniversary of the introduction of cotton spinning by power into this country took place at Pawtucket, R. I., last week. ——Harvard college opens with 400 freshmen, the largest class on its record. ——Thomas Lewis, a lineman, was almost instantly killed while cutting a live wire in Omaha. ——There is a demand for vessels to carry grain and live stock to the United States in consequence of the passage of the McKinley bill. Double as much barley has been exported up to date as was ever before. ——One of the worst freight wrecks in the history of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad occurred west of Zanesville. Eight men were killed, one terribly injured, and property to the amount of $100,000 destroyed. ——More than one half of the extensive stock yards plant and property of the Anglo-American Provision company at Chicago was destroyed by fire. The most conservative estimate of the loss is $700,000; the highest near $1,000,000. ——A majority of the South American governments have signified their support of the project for an international exhibition at Genoa, in 1892, to celebrate the discovery of America. ——Two warehouses for the sale of leaf tobacco will open in Kernersville on October 15th. ——Two hundred and fifty-six convicts have been sent to the Yadkin Railway, on which the State has taken a large contract for grading. Over a hundred of these were transferred from the Roanoke & Southern Railway. ——The Scotland Neck Branch road is now completed to Kinston, and on October 1st trains ran through from Weldon to that place. ——There are 200 convicts in the penitentiary. Of these twenty-five are engaged in the brickyards. The making of brick is profitable, and is done on an extensive scale. ——Six thousand people attended a meeting at Indianapolis in behalf of home rule in Ireland; stirring appeals were made by a number of speakers, and resolutions adopted denouncing Balfour and Salisbury, and pledging support by all honorable means to the Irish people. ——Over 200 emigrants arrived at New York on the 2nd inst. on their way to Mormondom; among the number were 32 young girls, and much moral suasion was used to prevent them from proceeding on their journey; all to no purpose, however, each one expressing a willingness to be one of seven or eight wives; some of the girls were remarkably pretty. ——A bold train robbery is reported from Ohio by masked men; the express car was rifled of several thousand dollars and other valuables, and an attempt was made to kill the express messenger; a revolver was placed at his head and the trigger pulled, but the cartridge failed to explode; the thieves made good their escape. ——Three thousand people attended a joint reunion of G. A. R.'s and ex-Confederates at Clinton, Mo.; several addresses were delivered. ——A very destructive fire occurred at Sydney, N. S. W., on the 1st inst.; a large number of business houses were burned, and the damage is estimated at £1,500,000. —— A number of Presidential nominations failed of confirmation, among them James H. Young, collector of customs in Wilmington. ——A pettifogging lawyer, who had been placed in jail for perjury, and who had been guilty of swindling transactions, was tarred and feathered by ten masked men of Bakersfield, Cal.; he was then turned loose. ——All of the business portion of the city of Aspinwall has been destroyed by fire, causing a loss of over a million dollars.

The Biggest Farmer in the Country.

F. G. Carpenter in Boston Globe.]

The biggest farmer in the United States is Leland Stanford. He gave somewhere between 50,000 to 80,000 acres to the university which he is now building, and not long ago, when riding in the train with Senator Allison through the northern part of the State, the cars passed through a large tract of wheat.

The vast plain of wheat stretched as far as the eye could see on both sides of the road for miles, and Senator Allison asked Stanford what he thought of it.

Stanford replied: "It is a very fine field of wheat; I wonder whose it is."

"It is yours," said the conductor, who was standing near Stanford.

"Indeed?" replied the millionaire. "I did not know it. I knew I had some wheat in this part of the State, but I did not think we had come to it as yet."

Senator Stanford engages in all kinds of farming, and he makes his farming pay. His vineyards produce the choicest of California wines, and he has great warehouses stored with California brandy. He will not sell his brandy at the present low prices, and he has sold none for six years. He can afford to keep it, and he believes it will pay a good interest on the amount of money invested by the increase in value with age. He makes about a million gallons of wine every year, and one of his vineyards contains 4,000 acres. This is, I think, the largest vineyard in the world. The vineyards are so large that the United States has a custom house connected with them in order to collect the duties properly.

As a fruit grower Senator Stanford has some of the finest fruit farms in California. He had for a long time a gread deal of trouble in getting the fruit picked. He used Chinamen finally. Great waste would come from delay. He then adopted a plan which he has now, which is most humanitarian and profitable. He gives all the boys of the public schools of San Francisco, who will take advantage of his offer, a chance to come out and pick fruit on his farm.

He takes a thousand of these boys every year, takes them to his farm and keeps them there a month, paying them $1 a day for their labor. He has an immense barracks built in which they sleep, and he sees that they are well fed and well cared for.

His superintendents have them divided into gangs, and they are carefully watched over as to morals. No money is paid until the end of the job, when each boy carries home with him $30. He also takes about a peck of English walnuts, and the Senator has bags made of a fixed size which he fills and gives one to each boy upon his departure.

As to payment, when he first brought the boys out on the farm he began to pay them their wages as they earned them. He found, however, that a lot of pool sellers and gamblers surrounded the farm and got the boys' money away from them by inducing them to bet on wheels of fortune, baseball and policy games.

He stopped this by not paying until the end of the month, and he now pays at the close of the engagement.

Every one has heard of Senator Stanford's great farm at Palo Alto, which contains his country residence, the great university and some of his best ranches. In this farm, which, by the way, has all been given to the university, he has some land which is worth $1,000 an acre, and he has a patch of 40 acres in grapes which has produced as high as $7,200 a year, and which has never produced less than $3,200 a year since they have been planted. On one of his tracts of fruit land there is a little piece of 10 acres for which a man pays him $2,500 a year for the privilege of picking the fruit.

A Sad Story of a New York House.

Ladies' Home Journal.]

There is in New York, upon one of the most fashionable thoroughfares, a magnificent house, a veritable palace, which can never be looked upon by the sentimental woman without a tear coming to her eye because of the story connected with it.

It was designed and built by one of the wealthiest men in New York—the head of an old Dutch family—for the woman he loved. Throughout the whole edifice, which might have been called "The House Beautiful," were the colors, furnishings, ornaments and dainty touches that were the young bride's taste. The ball-room, in which she expected to trip so many merry measures, was walled and ceiled in many colored marbles, but the lover himself directed the building of the *porte cochere*, under which her carriage was to roll, so that, stepping out, she would be touched by no drop of rain or flake of snow. Everything was ready: the horses were pawing in the stable, waiting for the day when they should whirl through park and avenue, bearing their new mistress; the liveried footmen had their white rosettes at hand to don upon the wedding day; the house was steeped in fragrance, for beautiful flowers were grouped and massed to captivate the fancy of the coming fair *chatelaine*, and everything seemed in harmony with this thoughtful loving care, for the sun shone bright, and it was somebody's wedding day.

Yes, but it wasn't an earthly wedding; for when, with quick footsteps, the mother went to wake the expectant bride, she found her dead. The last kiss she had given had been to her lover the night before. The last kiss he ever imprinted on human lips he pressed upon hers as she lay in her coffin. But he lives alone in the beautiful house, and with his great fortune does much good—all in the name of the woman he loved. The shutters are never open in the wonderful house, the carriages have never been used, no graceful forms with "twinkling feet" have ever glided over the glistening floor of the spacious ball-room; but it and the solitary man are there as evidences that love can so completely fill the heart that all life is nothing without it.

Hot Water for a Sore Throat.

New York World.]

"Let me say," said Dr. Hope, of the Metropolitan Throat Hospital, "for the benefit of your readers who are addicted to using a gargle of salt water every time their throat feels sore, that it is the worst thing they could possibly do. Salt irritates and injures the membranes, and some of the most aggravated cases of throat trouble that have come under my observation were made chronic by the use of salt. The best remedy for a simple sore throat is a gargle of water as hot as can be borne. It is soothing and stimulating, and need only be tried once or twice to convince of its efficacy."

☞ According to the *Commercial Bulletin*, the exports of cattle last year were 204,786 head, the average value $80; there were 3,748 horses, at an average value of $158. The average value of sheep exported was $2.84 per head.

☞ The increased production of corn, wheat and oats in the Southern States, as compared with the production ten years ago, is over 220,000,000 bushels.

Fair Women.

"An Ex-Diplomat" has recently written a spicy and breezy article for the New York *Tribune*, in which he undertakes to differentiate and describe the leading types of female beauty in Europe—especially its Continental phases. We present a few salient extracts:

FRENCH.

With regard to France, it is far more difficult to cite the names of the leading beauties. For there is something so sparkling, so heady, and so what the French call grisant about the Parisienne, that one is apt to lose not only one's heart but also one's head, and to be rendered incapable of forming any correct and unbiased judgment on the subject. Another reason, too, which makes it almost impossible to get any bona fide estimate of their perfection of face and figure is to be found in their extraordinary vivacity. They are forever on the move, and it is apparently beyond their power to remain quiet in one place and in a state of repose for more than two minutes together.

ITALIAN.

No greater contrast could be found than between the extreme vivaciousness and sparkle of the Frenchwoman and the extraordinary indolence of the Italian beauty. At Rome, in particular, the great ladies appear to think that it is perfectly sufficient to look beautiful, and that intellect, wit, or even ordinary education and accomplishments are entirely superfluous. It is impossible, for instance, to conceive a more exquisite type of Southern beauty than the Duchess Sforza Cesarini, who is a Colonna by birth. But one is bitterly disappointed to find that her mind is far from attaining the perfection of her physique, and the impression which she leaves is that of a very commonplace pebble mounted in a setting of exquisite workmanship and priceless value.

PORTUGESE.

With regard to Portugal the sex—I cannot conscientiously qualify it with the world fair—is sufficiently unattractive to remind one of the fact that whereas the Holy Bible in describing the creation of the world takes the trouble to add the words "And God saw that it was good," at the close of each verse relating the manner in which He made everything animate and inanimate, it pointedly abstains from giving this expression of satisfaction on the part of the Almighty after He had completed the creation of woman.

HELVETIAN.

The most curious feature about the Swiss women is that far from being in any way conscious of their lack of beauty, they are convinced that their charms are of so overpoweringly attractive a nature that it is necessary to the peace of mind of the male sex that they should make some effort to conceal them. With this object in view the women of the German cantons completely flatten their bust—not a difficult task—with a kind of papier-mache board, extending from below the waist to almost a level with the chin. This they call a "Keuschheits Brettli" that is, "a board of modesty."

RUSSIAN.

Although there are some strangely beautiful women in the society of the northern capital of Russia, such as, for instance, Princess Nelly Bariatinski, Madame Tolstoi, the young Countess Souvaloff and a number of others, yet it is by the originality and brilliancy of her intellect, by the subtle magnetism and by the piquant mixture of Asiatic grace and European elegance that the grande dame of St. Petersburg is able to exercise so potent a sway over men both at home and abroad. Russian women are the most dangerous of all the fair sex to our peace of mind, and as their whims and caprices are usually unrestricted by any such impediment as scruples, they more often than not make fools of those whom we are accustomed to regard as the cleverest of men. Of course there comes a time when the Muscovite Circe, having accomplished her end, has no further use for us, and casts us aside like a squeezed orange.

New Finds at Pompeii.

London Athenæum.]

At Pompeii some mural paintings of more than ordinary interest have recently been disclosed. In the Eighth Region, between Nos. 16 and 21 of the Second Insula, via III and IV, the remarkable discovery has been made of a house five stories high. The upper floor, which is entered from the higher level formed by a mound of prehistoric lava, is profusely decorated, and the principal hall displays on one wall the myth of Bellerophon, a nude figure, who, holding with one hand the bridle of his horse, is in the act of receiving the letters and orders of King Proetus, who is seated on a throne before him.

The lower part of the house, looking toward Stabiæ and the sea, was used as a bathing establishment. Three steps led into the frigidarium, which is perfect, the lower part of the surrounding walls being painted blue and the upper red. The middle of the right wall is occupied by a picture representing a nymph, semi-nude, borne over the waves on a sea horse. The horizontal band dividing the blue from the red surface is a kind of frieze of comic or caricature scenes, representing dwarfs or pigmies, in scenery evidently of the Nile country, fighting with various animals. One dwarf is in the act of throwing a large stone at an ibis, while another is trying to save by drawing to the land a figure (probably a woman) fallen into the river, when, seized himself by a crocodile, he has tied himself with a rope to another dwarf standing behind, who is striving with might and main to prevent his comrade from being drawn down into the water.

☞ In a primary school, not very long ago, the teacher undertook to convey to her pupils an idea of the use of the hyphen. She wrote on the blackboard "birds-nest," and, pointing to the hyphen, asked the school: "What is that for?" After a pause, a young son of the Emerald Isle piped out, "Plaze, mam, for the birds to roost on."

☞ Of the entire human race 500,000,000 are well clothed, that is, they wear garments of some kind; 250,000,000 habitually go naked, and 700,000,000 only cover parts of body; 500,000,000 live in houses, 700,000,000 in huts and caves, and 250,000,000 vitually have no shelter.

☞ Every fairly large house in Tokio has its own bath-room; but, besides this, there are no less than 800 baths in the city of Tokio, where 300,000 persons bathe daily, at a cost per head of 1 sen 3 rin, or about a half-penny.

☞ The biggest edible oysters in the world are found at Port Lincoln, in South Australia. They are sometimes more than a foot across the shell, and are said to be of the finest flavor.

☞ Whisky was first made in Ireland by an English monk.

Discoloration of the Skin.

Youth's Companion.

Between the cuticle—the epidermis, that is, or scarfskin—and the true skin is a layer of cells which secrete from the blood a dark coloring matter. The black races have this feature most fully developed, but even the lightest are not wholly destitute of it.

Its complete absence characterizes the albino, giving us occasionally a chalk white negro, the hair, of course, participating in the defect. As this pigment is also wanting in the albino's choroid coat of the eye—normally a dark back-ground for the retina, and essential to clear vision—he is nearly blind except at night.

There is often a local absence of pigment, causing white patches on the limbs and different parts of the body. Such a patch on the head may give rise to a solitary white lock amid a full head of dark hair.

Some parts of the skin are naturally darker than the rest, and the darker color may extend far beyond the usual limit and still be purely physiological, but dark colored spots often appear on the body as a result of some diseased condition or of exciting causes.

The simplest and commonest of such spots are known as freckles. Their remote cause is a peculiarly sensitive skin; their direct cause is the light and heat of the sun. Persons with fair skin and hair are most subject to them. The pigment, which in others is uniformly distributed, seems to gather into small rounded spots.

Is it the Star?

Wilmington Review.]

The famous "Star of Bethlehem," which heralded the birth of the Saviour, and which has reappeared every two or three hundred years since that time, is said by astronomers to be about due now. In 1888 it was expected, and marvellous stories went the rounds of the papers as to its brilliancy. Some claim that it can be seen even at midday when the sun is shining.

In the last few months the talk has been revived in some quarters, and the curious are said to be looking for its appearance at almost any time.

All this lends some interest to the fact that a beautiful and brilliant star has been seen in the southern heavens the last few nights and the star gazers are wondering if it is the one. Those who have examined it through a glass lescribes its appearance as very singular. The star itself seems made of two concentric rings studded with diamonds, and there are said to be ten points around the edges. It is worth looking at whether it is the famous star of history or not, and may be seen in greatest brilliancy in the early evening.

A Scolding Husband Cured.

A woman, whom her husband used frequently to scold, went to a cunning man to inquire how she might cure him of his barbarity. The sagacious soothsayer heard her complaint; and, after pronouncing some hard words, and using various gesticulations while he filled a phial with colored liquid, desired her, whenever her husband was in passion, to take a mouthful of the liquor and keep it in her mouth for five minutes. The woman, quite overjoyed at so simple at remedy, strictly followed the counsel which was given her, and by her silence escaped the usual annoyance. The contents of the bottle being at last expended she returned to the cunning man and anxiously begged to have another possessed of the same virtue.

"Daughter," said the man, "there was nothing in the bottle but brown sugar and water. When your husband is in a passion, hold your tongue, and, my life on it, he will not scold you in the future."

Eat Before Going to Bed.

Somerville Journal.]

Most students and women who are troubled with insomnia are dyspeptic, and they should therefore eat before going to bed, having put aside work at least an hour before. If they are not hungry they should simply be instructed to eat, and if they are hungry they should eat whatever they want. A glass of milk and a biscuit is sometimes all that can be taken at first, or mashed potato buttered. If possible, the night meal should be taken in another room than the sleeping apartment, and for men in the city it will be found advantageous to go out to a restaurant. Before eating, however, a bath should be taken, preferably cold or cool, which should be given with a sponge or stiff brush, and the body thoroughly rubbed off with a coarse towel afterward.

Pigeons as War Messengers.

New York Times.

Major-General Cameron, of the Royal Military College, Kingston, Canada, was recently instrumental in organizing a homing pigeon club in connection with the Canadian Militia. The first practical test was made the other day, and it illustrated the uses to which the birds could be put in the event of war. Ten homing pigeons were sent out the day before by express from Kingston. Next morning, in the presence of the military officers and Sir Hector Langevin, the birds were given their liberty. A dispatch from General Cameron at Kingston says that six pigeons arrived there at 1 o'clock, covering the distance from Ottawa, 120 miles, in two hours and fifteen minutes. Two arrived fifteen minutes later.

What the Humble Penny Does.

London Pall Mall Gazette.]

The humble penny is a potent factor in our modern civilization. We all know the wonders it has achieved in the departments of the post and the newspaper press, and it is now doing as marvelous a work in our means of locomotion. In the last financial year the North Metropolitan Tramway Company alone carried as many as 70,000,000 passengers at penny fares, so that the aggregate number who traveled in London by omnibus or car for that coin must be something prodigious.—Cheapness has fostered traffic in such an extraordinary way that, although conveyances are constantly multiplied, they are all better filled than in the days of high fares.

A Boy with a Prodigious Appetite.

Nottingham (Eng.) Sun.]

Whatever credit is due to the possessor of the largest appetite on record must be given to a boy named Matthew Daking, who, after recovering from a fever, exhibited an extraordinary craving for food. If not fed he would gnaw the flesh off his bones. Dr. Mortimer, secretary of the Royal society, kept an account of the food eaten by the boy, and states that in six days he swallowed of bread, meat and various substances 384 pounds 2 ounces. J. Cookson, M. D., who gives further particulars of the case, says the boy looked pretty well in the face, and was always cheerful, but had lost the use of his legs.

☞ A list of Bible facts asserts that the name of God does not occur in the book of Esther.

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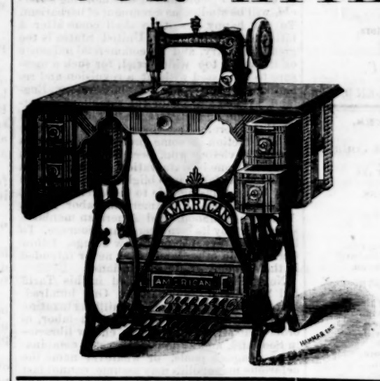

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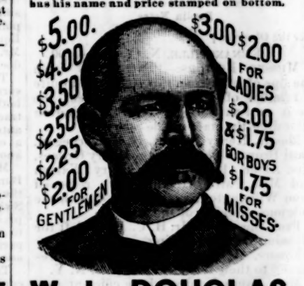

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FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

THURSDAY.....OCTOBER 9, 1890.

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10th District, W. C. Newland, of Caldwell.
12th District, Geo. A. Jones, of Macon.

WHOM WILL YE SERVE?

The notorious McKinley tariff bill, designed and supported by the Republicans, for making the rich richer and the poor poorer, becomes a law, and will soon go into effect, and its evils will soon be apparent and felt in every household throughout the length and breadth of the South.

The people, through the press and on the hustings, have been apprised of the impending danger, and the burdens imposed upon them as well as the hardships to which they will be subjected by reason of the passage of this infamous and sectional measure, which will weigh heavily in particular upon the shoulders of the farmer, the mechanic and all classes of manual laborers.

We hear some one say: "Why is the Republican party responsible for the enactment of such a law? Are there no Democrats in Congress?" Yes, there are Democrats in Congress, but unfortunately there are not enough, and the Democrats are on record as voting every time against this McKinley tariff bill, while the Republicans, like sheep entering a pasture, voted for the bill to a man. Now ask yourself the question: Who is responsible for this oppressive legislation; who is responsible for increasing the tax on the farmers' cotton ties; who is responsible for increasing the tax on woolen goods, hats, clothing, blankets, &c.; who is responsible for a bill introduced in Congress to place bayonets and blue-coats around our ballot-boxes, and deny us the right of local self-government and the privilege of holding free elections; in fine, who is responsible for increasing the tax on the necessaries of life, such as the poor man cannot live without, while at the same time reducing the taxes on the luxuries, such as the rich man can revel in and enjoy all the year round? Ask yourselves these questions, and take no man's word for it, but consult the records of legislation, State and national; and we challenge any man to show that the Republican party, through its chosen representatives, is not responsible and alone responsible for these vices and evils attending such laws.

Moreover, our rights as a part and parcel of the Union have been disregarded and treated with contempt, trampled under foot and set at naught; Democrats from the South who were honestly and legitimately elected have been insulted and unseated, and ignorant negroes put in their stead, and without even an opportunity to defend themselves:—all for the purpose of further enabling the Republicans to hold their majority in the House for the enactment of all manner of class and sectional legislation.

Now, if it is not time for you to ask yourself the question: Which party are you going hereafter and forever to ally yourself with in the future, then take the consequences; we can stand it if you can. You have been told and will be told again of the evil designs of the enemy, and if you refuse to think for yourselves it is no fault of ours. We think and feel that we have done and are doing our duty.—Whether or not you will rise up in your manhood and assert your rights is a question for you to decide. Time, the great arbiter of all things earthly, must say.

The good and evil are before you. Choose ye of the two.

The New York *Herald*—whose independence of thought and speech has made it the great champion of all the rights of the people without regard to party—predicts frightful results from the McKinley bill, and says of the vile measure:

Under the pressure of public opinion, and as it were from a sheer sense of shame, the proposed tariff has virtually become a law. The Committee of Conference have reported it to the Senate and House. The changes made by the Senate will as a general thing be accepted. These changes looked toward a protective spirit more stringent than those proposed in the House. The special interests supported by a powerful lobby and the friends of what is called "American industry" may rejoice in the severest measure of protection that ever came from an American Congress.

The details of the tariff will be found elsewhere. In its general features what do we see? A new measure as stringent and sweeping as was found necessary at the outbreak of the war. A consequence of that unhappy strife was that the government needed vast sums of money. Property was taken as lives were taken—the public safety the supreme issue. It would be profitless to discuss what was then done. History will indubitably say that our finances were managed as miserably as the military affairs, and that rapine in campaigns was followed by rapine in the Treasury.

Financial rapine thrived upon what it lived on. When the war ceased it was hoped that the war measures would end. This was not to be. The special interests which the war tariff had served—wool, iron, cotton, salt, oil and wine—were not disposed to surrender the vast revenues which an iniquitous impost brought them. The tax on wool meant a tax upon every blanket, shawl or bit of winter drapery necessary to the comfort of the laborer. No matter, wool must be protected. The tax on iron came home to every farmer who owned a plough, to every laborer at the forge. No matter, the Carnegies must have their unnecessary, semi-felonious millions, that libraries may be endowed in Scotland. Cotton goods, the proceeds of the cotton plant, might be free, and with that the commercial empire of the Pacific. But no! The cotton manufacturers of New England subscribed to the success of the republican party, and poverty must bear the burden.

Yes, poverty must bear the burden. The time will come—and within the lives of many who read these lines—when this tariff, which takes so many columns of this morning's *Herald*, will be studied as a remnant of barbarism. To that happy result we shall come after a bitter experience. The United States is too great a country, and its commercial influence on the world too widespread, for such a measure to be passed without a revulsion and reaction. Already we hear from Germany, England, France and Spain the rumble of resentment. One industry is destroyed here and another there. And there is a soft chuckle of satisfaction in some protection papers, as though of victory won, because some German town has gone into starvation, or some French industry has fallen into blight and ruin. There may be an amusing side to these realities, but we cannot see it. American labor means American manhood, and American manhood should live by its own energy and courage. To live at the expense of fellow beings, fellow Christians in other lands, was never intended in the economy of our institutions.

Nor will the policy implied in this Tariff bill be without its penalties. One hundred, better perhaps two hundred, millions taxation imposed every year upon American labor, in order that Mr. Carnegie may endow libraries in Scotland, and a thousand trusts, combinations, leagues, pools, or whatever name the nefarious monopolies may assume, cannot last forever. The war is over, so far as it means the slaying of men and the destruction of property. The war is not over as to its financial burdens. The time will come when it will not be endured, when it will bring panic, stress and change. It would be well were wisdom to look that way now. We have no such hope. The tariff we accept with shame and sorrow. It bodes no good to the nation. To the people it means burdens that should never exist. To those who profit by its immediate iniquity it means ultimate sorrow, the consequences of which they should study with concern.

The history of nations probably does not record the enactment of a measure which is so well calculated to burden a people with needless, inexcusable taxation. The cost of nearly all the necessities of life is enhanced to the consumer for the pretended object of building up home industries. The cheaper the goods invariably the higher the rate of the duty. This is especially true of all articles of food, drink and wearing apparel, sugar alone excepted. There are no foreign markets in it for the American farmer, for its effect is wholly in the direction of restricting trade with other peoples. There is no outlet in it for the surplus production of the American manufacturer, for he is denied the right to purchase his raw materials in the cheapest market. Especially does the new law weigh heavily upon the American importer, the rate of duty in many classes of goods being so high as to render their importation impossible. It lays the importing business under ban, and serves notice on those engaged in it to relinquish or starve.

The bill is a sectional bill. It was conceived in iniquity, and it has been framed without regard to the true interest of a majority of the people of the country. Its beneficiaries are largely confined to a few localities—Pennsylvania and Ohio preferred. They are the tariff barons, already made millionnaires by the protection system, who furnished the money to elect a republican President in 1888, and who demand reimbursement for their past outlay and additional opportunities if they are to furnish future campaign funds. The bill is merely the execution of the contract with those gentlemen, nothing more nor less. Even protective tariff bills are supposed to be framed in the interest of a nation, and it is the boast of the republican party that Appomattox made the United States a nation.

No one can claim for the McKinley bill a national scope. It does not reach south of the Potomac and Ohio rivers.

One illustration will suffice. While the duty on binding twine has been largely reduced in the interest of the Western farmer, the high duty on cotton ties has been maintained against the interest of the Southern cotton planter. Such instances abound, and yet even with this slight sop the Western farmer has no part nor parcel in the McKinley Tariff bill; it increases the price of everything he buys, while its effect by every axiom of political economy must of necessity be to curtail his market, and thereby reduce the price of his products by overstocking the home market.

Duplin Notes.

For the Observer.]

KENANSVILLE, N. C., Oct. 4, '90.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—"Sam Jones" is on the lips of every one this week, and quite a number of Duplinites have spent the week or a part of the week in Wilmington attending the tabernacle services.

Messrs. Henry Farrior, H. R. Kornegay, Paul Brown, John Herring, Henry Grimes, Mrs. Albert Farrior, Miss Mary Watson and Miss Pattie Herring have returned from Wilmington, much pleased with the religious exercises of the week.

Prof. Shaw and Mr. H. C. Moore left for Wilmington this morning.

Messrs. Geo. and Mac Herring have returned to their home in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Miss Laura Moore, whose efficient services for the past few months as assistant postmistress have been so acceptable, left this week for Dillon, S. C., where she will take charge of the Dillon school. We congratulate the Dillon people upon having secured such a teacher as we know Miss Moore to be.

Miss Mag Wallace has been selected to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Moore.

Mr. David Farrior is at home for a short rest.

A new registration has been ordered, and all voters must be registered by October 25th.

The young people of Warsaw have formed a class to contest for the Demorest medals.

Our young people would do well to try for these medals. Those that we have seen are of beautiful design.

Rev. T. P. Ricaud, of New Berne, is spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Albert Farrior.

Rev. Mr. Ashby, of Southport, will assist Rev. Mr. Forbes next week in a protracted meeting at this place.

Manchester Cullings.

For the Observer.]

The fox-hunters came, they saw, they conquered. Good races, good fare. Had *Rice* only a few days. Weather was cool—had one *Snow;* but *Jordan* ran on. The *King* will return with a large part, in November. A lodge will be erected for the benefit of Greensboro fox-hunters soon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Clarke and Miss Hennie Mason attended the Sam Jones meetings—very much pleased.

Public school begins next week.

Miss M. B. Hall is home to spend the winter. Mrs. John Clarke opened the long silent organ last Sunday—we missed her. Miss Katie Fairley is in Fayetteville. Mrs. A. K. McDiarmid is very ill.

Drummers besiege this hamlet every week.

Mr. Wolfe, from Williamsport, Pa., has charge of the S. L. Co.'s planers. Mr. Ashe Gray, from Fields Station, Pa., has accepted a position with Williams & Fields.

That factory would excite "patience on a monument." Can't run—waiting on cards.

Mr. J. F. Clarke is having a few cottages built.

Hush, be quiet! pause, I do not hear those saws. Again that S. L. Co.'s mill is standing stock still. BON AMI.

Hon. W. H. Kitchen was here last week and promised us a treat in the way of a speech during the campaign.

Mr. Percy Page, who has been in charge of the telegraph office of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway, goes to Greensboro this week to take the same position with General Manager Fry. Mr. Page is a courteous, affable young business man, and the community will regret his departure. Mr. J. G. Leak, of Roanoke, Va., takes his place.

Evangelist Fife is holding one of his mammoth meetings at Randleman this week.

Bennettsville Items.

For the Observer.]

The young people of our town have reorganized their rink skating club, and large crowds attend the meetings every Friday night. The nights are getting cool enough to make the sport enjoyable, and the audience enjoys the beginners' antics.

Mr. Cook Breeden came down Thursday from Fayetteville. He is here representing Nimocks.

Mr. Alex. Harrell is also here with a line of samples of clothing from Thornton's.

A large excursion, gotten up by the leading negroes of the place, left here Friday morning for Wilmington. They returned Friday night.

All who went on the excursion on Wednesday to hear Sam Jones returned well pleased with the trip, though some expressed disappointment in the revivalist.

The C. L. & N. engine ran off the track on Friday, owing to some one having tampered with the switch. No harm was done.

Considerable interest is manifested in Maxton's Border Fair in this place. Several of our young men will act as marshals—Capt. J. T. Dudley, of the Gordon Rifles, is chief. H. D. C.

"LIKE A BANK DRAFT."

Another Life Insurance Sensation in Chicago.

[Special Despatch to the Traveler.]

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 19.—On the 9th of July last, the *Traveler* published exclusively a despatch from this city, which has created a vast deal of comment in life insurance circles all over the world.

That despatch recited the peculiar circumstances surrounding the death of Mr. Jas. M. Gamble of this place, who, about a year prior to his demise, had applied for, received, and regularly settled the premium on a policy of insurance for $100,000.00 in the Equitable Life Assurance Society of New York. The policy in question was one of the sort now extensively advertised by the Company as being "conditionless," "like a bank draft," "a simple promise to pay," etc.

While Mr. Gamble died from other than what might be called "natural causes," there was no evidence that his death was other than accidental; and if there had been, the general public which reads the advertisements of the Equitable and is solicited by its agents, would naturally expect the Company to pay anyway.

The Gamble claim is, however, still unpaid.

To-day we are treated to another sensation further elucidating the mercurial phrase "incontestible," "bank-draft," "abstract-promise to-pay" policies.

The late W. J. Roundtree, who resided in Astor street, and was of the firm of Colgate & Co., New York, on the 18th of January last took out a $20,000 policy in the Equitable Life Assurance Society, on the "like-a-bank-draft simple-promise-to-pay" plan. He paid the premium at the Company's rates—$1166. He was examined by the three resident physicians of the Company, and in due course received the "abstract-promise-to-pay."

On June 5, 1890, Mr. Roundtree died. Immediately thereafter proper proofs of death were filed with the Company, viz., on June 12 1890, but to this day it has been impossible to obtain any information from the New York office as to whether the claim will be paid or not. Naturally those interested have been anxious, and a business associate of the deceased, who resides in New York, has had the matter in hand. The results of his labors appear to-day in advice to the relatives here to employ counsel.

These two cases—one of $100,000, unsettled for eight months, and one of $20,000, unsettled for three months—are enough to make the lay public ask a few questions. The family of Mr. Roundtree also begin to ask questions. They wanted a copy of the application which the deceased signed, and also a copy of his statements to the medical examiners, for the use of counsel. These documents are really the basis of the contract, and in most responsible companies copies are attached to the policies issued. But this is not done by the Equitable, and now the agent who insured Mr. Ronndtree refuses to give copies of the documents desired.

This brings up a nice question in life insurance. The policy specifically refers to both documents, as being a part of the contract, and consequently counsel for the claimants will probably be obliged to enter suit on a contract whose terms they do not fully know, and worse than that, cannot find out.

Many people wondered just what the Swiss Bundesrath meant, when it said, in denying the Equitable the right to issue this policy in Switzerland: "The new policy, even in its present form, is simply a document relating to a so-called discreet contract between two parties, and *not an abstract promise to pay, nor a written obligation.*"

The declaration that an Equitable policy could be less than a "written obligation" was a poser. But since this state of facts arises, what are we to think? What do Mr. Gamble's heirs and Mr. Roundtree's heirs think?

One may be permitted certainly to believe that the Swiss statesmen excluded the contract because they anticipated that just such a state of affairs might arise as now surrounds the counsel for Mr. Roundtree's beneficiaries.

There are few questions which may be discussed publicly with more profit and propriety than such questions as these. Life insurance has literally put a girdle around the world, and touches first and last about every material and moral interest of the day. It is proper, then, to notice events relating to so great a company as the Equitable and to discuss them. Here seem to be three leading facts: 1. A persistent advertising of an "incontestable," "conditionless," "promise-to-pay" policy. 2. Two important claims of this kind unpaid. 3. The discovery, by the beneficiaries, under one policy, that the insured, at no time after the receipt of his "abstract promise to pay," held (nor does any man, so far as known, who has a policy of this kind, now hold) evidence from which he could know what his rights were, or indeed, what the terms of his contract were.

This leaves the Equitable in a very unfortunate position, and is damaging to the general interests of life insurance. Delay in the settlement of these claims would not be so noticeable, did they not belong to a class of contracts so loudly heralded as being peculiarly excellent, in that just what seems now to be happening can never happen. They have been offered as excluding all possibilities of delay, and it is reasonable to conclude that the $120,000 of business herein involved was secured on that plea. Many men believe that when a life insurance company goes so far as to waive at any time the right to refuse to pay a claim that is palpably fraudulent, it is as open to criticism as that company which contests honest claims.

Opinions may differ as to this, but it is clear that contracts ought to be either fish or flesh, and it is also clear that a very good way to make it uncertain as to which sort a contract may be, is to put all the documents in the hands of the first party, and merely give the second party what the Swiss Buddesrath calls ".....a document relating to a so-called discreet contract between two parties." †

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Dr. King's Royal Germetuer is endorsed by Rev. J. B. Hawthorne, pastor First Baptist Church, Atlanta, Ga., who says: "It is a great remedy." Rev. Sam P. Jones says: "I wish every poor suffering wife had access to that medicine." Thousands of others attest its virtues. Fifty gallons are drunk in Atlanta daily, where it is performing remarkable cures. It removes the cause of disease and builds up from the first dose. Send stamp for full particulars, certificates of wonderful cures, etc., to King's Royal Germetuer Co., Atlanta, Ga. IT CURES WHEN ALL ELSE FAILS. Price, $1.50 per concentrated bottle, which makes one gallon of medicine as per directions accompanying each bottle. Can be sent by express C. O. D. if your druggist cannot supply you.

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"The Blood and the Stomach is the Life—the derangement of either is productive of disease."

DR. KING'S
ROYAL GERMETUER

is the greatest blood purifier and germ destroyer of the age. It tones the stomach, increases the appetite, purifies the secretions and quickly and permanently cures all blood, stomach, kidney, bladder, liver, and female diseases. As a tonic it is without a rival in the whole range of materia medica. It is a sovereign remedy, and never fails to cure rheumatism, neuralgia, paralysis, insomnia, dyspepsia, indigestion, debility, palpitation, catarrh, etc.

Hon. H. W. Grady says: "It is the *Ultima Thule* of all remedies."

Rev. Sam. P. Jones says: "I wish every suffering wife had access to that medicine."

Rev. J. B. Hawthorne says: "It has brought certain and radical cures to hundreds in Georgia and other States."

Mrs. Ella R. Tennent, Editor Tennent's Home Magazine, says: "Its fame has spread like a prairie fire."

Dr. Jas. Young, the great temperance lecturer, says: "Oh! that every afflicted man and woman could get this grand remedy."

Thousands of others attest its virtues and sound its praise.

If you are sick, do not despair till you have tried Germetuer. It has performed cures that astonish the world.

If you are suffering with disease and fall of a cure, send stamp for printed matter, certificates of wonderful cures, etc.

For sale by King's Royal Germetuer Company, Atlanta, Ga., and by druggists. Price $1.50 per concentrated bottle, which makes one gallon of medicine as per directions accompanying each bottle. Can be sent by express C. O. D., if your druggist cannot supply you.

March 13, 1890. 1y

The New Discovery.

You have heard your friends and neighbors talking about it. You may yourself be one of the many who know from personal experience just how good a thing it is. If you have ever tried it, you are one of its staunch friends, because the wonderful thing about it is that when once given a trial Dr. King's New Discovery ever after holds a place in the house. If you have never used it, and should be afflicted with a cough, cold or any Throat, Lung or Chest trouble, secure a bottle at once and give it a fair trial. It is guaranteed every time, or money refunded. Trial Bottles Free at B. E. Sedberry & Son's Drug Store.

The First Step.

Perhaps you are run down, can't eat, can't sleep, can't think, can't do anything to your satisfaction, and you wonder what ails you. You should heed the warning; you are taking the first step into Nervous Prostration. You need a Nerve Tonic, and in Electric Bitters you will find the exact remedy for restoring your nervous system to its normal, healthy condition. Surprising results follow the use of this great Nerve Tonic and Alterative. Your appetite returns, good digestion is restored, and the Liver and Kidneys resume healthy action. Try a bottle. Price 50c. at B. B. Sedberry & Son's Drug Store.

FAYETTEVILLE MARKET.

N. C. BACON—		FODDER,	75
Hog Round,	10	HIDES—	
Sides,	9	Flint—good,	6
Hams,	15	Flint—damaged,	5
WEST. BULK MEATS—		Dry Salt,	7
Sides,	6¼	Green,	3
Shoulders,	5¼	IRON—	
WESTERN BACON—		American,	3
Sides,	6¼	Swedes,	5@6
Hams,	15	LARD—	
Shoulders,	6½@8	N. Carolina,	10
BAGGING,	7½@8	Western,	9
BEES—		LEATHER—	
On foot,	3	Upper, country,	35@40
Dressed,	5@6	Sole, Hemlock,	25@27
BEESWAX,	18	Harness, c'ntry,	25@30
BUTTER—		MOLASSES,	25@40
North Carolina,	20@25	NAILS—	
Northern,	25@35	(12d basis),	2.60
COFFEE—		PORK—	
Java,	30	Fresh,	5@6
Rio,	22½@25	Mess,	(None.)
COTTON YARN,	85@95	POTATOES—	
COTTON TIES,	00	Sweet—new,	.65
CHICKENS,	15@20	Irish—o	1.00
EGGS	17½	SALT,	95
FLOUR—		SUGARS—	
N. C. Family,	3.50	Coffee,	7
West. Fam.,	5.00@6.00	Granulated,	9
CORN MEAL—	75	SHEETINGS,	5½
GRAIN—		SHUCKS,	45
Corn—new,	70	TALLOW,	5
Oats,	55	WOOL,	18
Rye,	90	SPIRITS—	
Peas,	75	Corn Whisky,	1.75@2.00
HAY—		Rye Whisky,	1.75@3.00
N. Carolina,	40@60	Ap. Brandy,	1.75@3.00
Northern,	1 00	Pch Brandy,	1.75@3.00

Fayetteville Cotton and Naval Stores Market

Corrected by A. E. Rankin & Co.

Good Middling..... 9¾
Middling..... 9¼
Strict Low Middling..... 9¼
Turpentine, $2.20 to $2.40 per barrel
NAVAL STORES.—Spirits 35 cents
Rosin was steady, prices ranging from 85 to 90 for common.

Wilmington Market.

WILMINGTON, N. C. Oct. 7.

COTTON.—Cotton steady, with sales on a basis of 9¾ cents for Middling.
SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market steady at 37 cents per gallon.
TAR—Firm $1.60.
ROSIN.—The market quoted firm at 90 cents per bbl. for Strained and 95 cents for Good Strained.
TURPENTINE (Crude) Distillers quote the market firm at $1.90 for Virgin, $1.90 for Yellow Dip and 1.20 for Hard.

TRINITY COLLEGE

guarantees an individual training to all students, be they slow or apt to learn.

Every young man should give himself a year at least in college. Expenses are $75 to $100 for 5 months.

A large number of our commercial students are bookkeepers and cashiers in paying positions.

Go to college, young man.
Send for catalogue to-day.
JOHN F. CROWELL, A. B. (Yale),
Dr. Litt., President,
Trinity College, N. C.
Oct. 2, 1890. 2w

For Sale.

One hundred and ten (110) acres of land located about two miles from Fayetteville, and known as "Whippoorwill." Orchard and Vineyard on the land. Will sell reasonable and on easy terms or exchange for city property. Apply to E. A. POE,
Fayetteville, N. C.
Sept. 18, 1890.

Fayetteville Milling and Lumber Co.

offers for sale Rough and Dressed Lumber—Flooring, Ceiling, Weather-boarding, &c.
Prices low as the lowest.
Orders filled on short notice.
Oct. 2, 1890. tf

PUBLIC SPEAKING.

The various County candidates of the Democratic party will address their fellow-citizens at the following times and places:

Rhodes' Mills, Saturday, Oct. 18th, 1890.
Kingsbury, (Carver's Creek), Monday, Oct. 20th.
McKay's Store, " Tuesday, Oct. 21st.
Manchester, (71st), Wednesday, Oct. 22nd.
Smith's Shop, (Little River), Thursday, Oct. 23rd.
Cabin Branch, (Quewhiffle,) Friday, Oct. 24th.
Ray's, (71st), Saturday, Oct. 25th.
Cumberland Mills, at night, Saturday, Oct. 25th.
Butler's Shop, (Gray's Creek), Monday, Oct. 27th.
Hope Mills, at Village No. 1, Tuesday, Oct. 28th.
Hope Mills, at School House No. 1, at night, Tuesday, Oct. 28th.
Williams' Mill, Flea Hill, Wednesday, Oct 29th.
Blue's Sand Hill, Cedar Creek Thursday, Oct 30th.
Bullard's Mill, Beaver Dam, Friday, Oct. 31st.
Cedar Creek, Saturday, Nov. 1st.

Hon. Geo. W. Sanderlin, the well-known State Auditor, will be with the candidates and address the people on Wednesday, October 29th, at Williams' Mill, in Flea Hill Township.

By order of Democratic Executive Committee.
HENRY L. COOK, Chairman.

I will attend at the above times and places, with the tax books, as the law directs, and give the people an opportunity to settle their taxes.
J. B. SMITH, Sheriff.
Oct. 2, 1890.

WEDDING PRESENTS,

—AT—

Pemberton's Book and Music House.

Just received a beautiful line of Bohemian Glass-ware, Bisque Figures, Bronzes, Piano and Parlor Lamps, Mantel Sets, Ladies' Plush and Oxidized Silver Dressing Cases, Odor Cases, Work-Boxes, Writing Desks, Lap Tablets.

Pictures! Pictures!!—Magnificent Stock.

Pastels, Photographs, Steel Engravings, Artotypes, Oleographs, French Art and Oil Paintings.

FRAMES! FRAMES!!

Made to order any size and any price. We have the prettiest stock of Moulding ever brought to this market.

Easels! Easels!!

A fine assortment of Easels in Cherry, Bamboo, Ebony, Oak and Brass.

Pianos! Pianos!! Pianos!!!

We are agents for the sweet toned Ivers & Pond used by the New England Conservatory of Music. Each instrument has the New *Soft Stop* Attachment, which insures the Piano to last a life time.

Organs! Organs!!

Wilcox & White, warranted for six years—sold on the installment plan. Second-hand Pianos and Organs for rent.

☞ Give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.
Fayetteville, Sept. 25, 1890.

Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley R'y Co.

Round Trip Tickets

—TO—

RALEIGH, N. C.,

ON ACCOUNT of the STATE FAIR,

will be on sale October 13th to 17th, inclusive—good to return till October 20th, inclusive, for only $2.30, which includes one admission to Fair Grounds.

G. W. LAKE, Ag't.
W. E. KYLE, G. P. Ag't.
Oct. 2, 1890. 3t

OYSTERS!

We are to be found, as usual, on the alert to supply our friends, customers and the public; and this time the

Fat and Juicy Oyster

is the subject of our advertisement.

Send or leave your order. We will commence on Saturday, October 4th, and receive them several times each week thereafter through the season.

A. S. HUSKE, Ag't.

For Sale.

On Thursday, the 16th of October next, the residence of Rev. H. G. Hill on Haymount. The lot contains about 1¾ acres, with excellent garden. The house has 9 good rooms; there is a well of fine water, and the premises are in good repair. The sale at Market House at 12 M. Terms $1,000 cash, remainder negotiable note at 12 months with interest at 8 per cent. Title retained until purchase money is paid. H. G. HILL.
Sep. 25, 1890. 3t

Stoves! Stoves! Stoves!

We take pleasure in announcing to the public that we are still in the Stove business. Have just received a car load of

Cheap Stoves,

which we are selling at very close figures,

$8. $9 and $10.

They are here and must go. Also you will find in our stock the

FAMOUS MAKES OF EXCELSIOR,
FARMER GIRL,
FARMER BOY,
ELMOS,
ARGANDS,

and all the leading Stoves of the day.

Parties in need of Stoves will get a bargain by calling on us before purchasing.

McMILLAN BROS.,

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

Sept. 25, 1890.

!Boots and Shoes!

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!!!BOOTS AND SHOES!!!

One of the largest stocks of

BOOTS and SHOES

ever brought to this market. (No advance in price, the orders having been given two months ago.) The stock is offered at ONE PRICE and no deviation.

Please call at once and secure the greatest bargains of the season.

GEO. BRANDT,
One door west of People's Nat. Bank.
Sept. 25 1890. 3m

C. W. HUSKE & CO.,

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.,

—MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS IN—

Rough and Dressed Yellow Pine Lumber,

Flooring, Ceiling, &c.

LARGE HEART BILLS FILLED ON SHORT NOTICE.

CAPACITY 30,000 FEET PER DAY.
July 17, 1890. tf

W. H. NEWBEURY,

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C,

—MANUFACTURER OF AND DEALER IN—

BUILDERS' MATERIAL,
HOUSE TRIMMINGS,
WEATHERBOARDING,
CEILING, FLOORING,
MOULDINGS,

COLUMNS, BRACKETS, DOORS,

STAIR RAILS, NEWEL POSTS,

EASES AND WREATHS,

TURNED AND SAWED BALUSTERS.

Scroll Sawing and Turning a Specialty,

Rough and Dressed Lumber.

Orders Solicited and Work Guaranteed.
Aug. 14, 1890. tf

Notice of Administration.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has this day qualified as administrator on the estate of John C. Blue, dec'd. All persons holding claims against the estate will present them on or before the 18th day of September, 1891, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will come forward and make immediate payment. JNO. G. SHAW,
Administrator of J. C. Blue, dec'd.
Sept. 11, 1890. 6w

Sale for Taxes.

On MONDAY, the 3rd day of NOVEMBER, 1890, I will sell at the Market House in Fayetteville, N. C., the following property to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy Taxes due "Fayetteville." B. R TAYLOR, Collector.

W. J. Atkins, residence, '88, 2.00, '89, 6.22,	$ 8.22
J K Barge, Chatham st., 87 50c, 88 $3, 89 $3,	6.50
Arch'd DeKeiser, vac Ramsay st, 88,	3.00
D J Gould, res Person st, 88 4.50, 89 6.05,	10.55
C K Hall, res Broad sreet, 88 6.03, 89 6.00,	12.03
B R Hus'e for R S Huske, office Bow st., 86 12.90, 87 35.05, 88 23.00, 89 28.30,	99.25
Jno S Maultsby, res Bee st, bal, 88,	3.50
Rebecca Mazinga, res Campbellton, 87 1.50, 88 1.50,	3.00
Lucinda Neal, res Water st, 88 8.53, 89 6.59,	15.12
J C Stout, imp'd Winslow st, 86 5 20, 87 2.50, 88 1 50,	9.20

On and after November 4th, deeds will be furnished parties who purchased property in 1889.
Oct 2, 1890.

THE MOST
ELEGANT AND COMPLETE
—LINE OF—
Millinery and Notions.

which I have ever had in store I offer to my patrons this season. In STYLE, QUALITY and BEAUTY my selections cannot be surpassed, of which I ask an examination, confident that my goods cannot fail to please.

Mrs. Lunebery—so well-known to the ladies of Fayetteville and all this section for her faultless taste and skill in all matters of feminine adornment—is with me this season, and extends to all her friends a cordial invitation to call and see us.

MRS. JNO. SHAW.
Oct. 2, 1890—tf]

J. C. STEVENSON & TAYLOR,

WILMINGTON, N. C.,

Wholesale Dealers in Fancy and Staple Groceries. Correspondence solicited. Samples on application.
march 20. 1y

WOODY & CURRIE.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Commission Merchants. Groceries, Provisions and Farm Supplies at Bottom Prices.
march 20. tf

JOHN J. HEDRICK,

WILMINGTON, N. C.

—WHOLESALE AND RETAIL—

Dealer in Fancy and Staple Dry Goods and Gents' Furnishing Goods. march 20—1y

R. W. HICKS,

WHOLESALE GROCER,
WILMINGTON, N. C.

Bacon, Lard, Flour, Coffee, Sugar, Molasses, Case Goods, Canned Goods, Cakes, Crackers, Tobacco, Snuff, Segars, Cheroots, Nails, Hoop Iron, Glue, Bungs, Hay, Corn, Oats, Meal, Grits, Baking Powders, Butter, Cheese, Candy, Starch, Salt, Hams, Vinegar, Shot, Powder, Caps, Buckets, Brooms, Twine, Peanuts, Nutmegs, Spices, Ladies' Favorite Flour. March 13, 1890—1y

WORTH & WORTH,

WILMINGTON, N. C.,

Importers of Genuine Cuba Molasses.

Wholesale Dealers in Groceries, Provisions, Salt, Lime, Cement and Farm Supplies.

Offer at all times a complete stock of Groceries, Provisions and Staple Supplies of every description, of the Best Quality and at the Lowest Prices. All goods shipped and fully guaranteed as to quality and price. March 13, 1890—tf

WM. E. SPRINGER & CO.,

Importers and Jobbers.

Our Hardware Department comprises an immense stock of General Hardware, including Guns and Cutlery of our own importation. Also a full line of

Patent Bottom Tinware.

Our Crockery Department comprises a large assortment of Glassware, Lamps, &c. Also the best make of English Earthenware, both plain white and decorated goods of our own direct importation. Merchants cannot do better anywhere in this country than by buying of us, as we defy competition and guarantee prices and goods. Therefore we ask for your patronage.

WM. E. SPRINGER & CO.,
Purcell Building, Wilmington, N. C.
March 13, 1890. 1y

NOTICE.

The celebrated Mohawk Stallion, Jess, can now be found at Geo. A. Burns Livery Stables. For further information call on or address W. J. McDONALD,
Fayetteville, N. C.
Sep. 4, 1890. tf

Tax Notice.

The Tax Books for the year 1890 are now in my hands for collection. All persons are notified to come forward and make immediate settlement. I am determined to collect them without delay, without regard to persons.

J. B. SMITH, Sheriff
Sept. 4, 1890.—tf] Cumberland county.

Toilet Soaps.

A Large Lot Just Received.

COLGATE'S CASHMERE BOUQUET.
BAZIN & SARGENT'S VIOLET AND ROSE GERANIUM.
"4711" GLYCERINE.
PEAR'S GLYCERINE.
VIOLA SKIN SOAP ALWAYS IN STOCK.

A. J. COOK & CO.,

DRUGGISTS,

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

Aug. 28, 1890.

Executor's Notice.

Having qualified according to law as executor of John McAllister, deceased, late of Cumberland County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 2nd day of October, 1891, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will make immediate payment.

JOSHUA COUNCIL, Ex'r.
N. A. SINCLAIR, Attorney.
This 2nd day of Oct., 1890. 6w

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. | NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

READY? YES!

—AND A—

GOOD "READY," AT THAT!

SEPTEMBER FINDS US WITH A STOCK IN STORE WHICH WE TAKE A PRIDE IN PRESENTING TO THE PEOPLE OF FAYETTEVILLE AND SURROUNDING COUNTRY, AND WHICH WE CAN

RECOMMEND IN THE HIGHEST TERMS,

—WITHOUT FEAR OF OVERESTIMATING ITS EXCELLENCE.—

SPREAD THE NEWS

FAR AND WIDE, PRINTERS' INK; WE WILL

BACK UP ALL YOU SAY!

THOSE WHO ARE TIMID AND DOUBTFUL CAN COME AND SEE, AND WE WILL

CONVINCE ALL

THAT WE HAVE NOT BEEN IDLE DURING THE PAST FEW MONTHS. THE RESULT OF OUR LABORS IS

Piled-up Shelving and Counters.

PRICES HARDLY

OBSERVER.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

Published Every Thursday at 19 Green Street (Observer Building.)

THURSDAY.....OCTOBER 9, 1890.

COUNTY TICKET.

FOR SENATE IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY---16th DISTRICT
JOHN A. GREEN,
OF HARNETT.

FOR GENERAL ASSEMBLY, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES:
THOS. H. SUTTON,
A. P. McGILL.

FOR SHERIFF:
JAMES B. SMITH.

FOR CLERK OF SUPERIOR COURT:
CHAS. G. CAIN.

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS.
M. L. HALL.

FOR TREASURER:
JOHN B. TROY.

FOR CORONER:
DR. JAS. W. McNEILL.

FOR SURVEYOR:
JOHN B. DOWNING.

TOWN AND COUNTY.

Commendable Promptness.

Mr. H. O. Sedberry, Secretary and Treasurer of the Endowment Rank, Knights of Pythias of this city, received last Saturday a check for $1,000, payable to Mrs. A. Overbaugh—the amount of insurance on the life of her husband, the late Ambrose Overbaugh.

Fine Cotton.

One of the finest stalks of cotton we have ever seen was brought up to town this week from the farm of Mr. W. J. McDonald near Wakulla, in Robeson county. It holds nearly 170 bolls, large and perfect in form, and the plant is of very vigorous growth. It should be kept for exhibition at the Cumberland Fair.

A Nice Crowd and a Pleasant Time.

Mr. E. H. Jennings's Sam Jones Excursion on the steamer *Murchison* to Wilmington last Saturday evening was successful in every respect. A party of 102 pleasant people boarded the steamer at 8 o'clock; and, after "taking in" Mr. Samuel Jones, with the concomitant features of a visit to Wilmington, returned on Monday afternoon, unanimously declaring that a more enjoyable trip could not have been taken.

Death of Charles Whitfield.

Charles J. Whitfield passed away from earth at the residence of his sister, Mrs J. A. Lambeth, on Friday morning, 3rd inst., in the 25th year of his age—"falling asleep in Jesus" in a repose as peaceful as the slumber of a child. He was an estimable young man—a devout and God-fearing member of the Presbyterian Church since his 19th year. His death—which has stricken with such an aching sense of loss the hearts of his sorrowing sisters—was peculiarly sad, for the flower of his days was spent in battling with the insidious and fell destroyer, consumption.

An Award which Honors the Recipient.

Mr. R. M. McIntire, a prominent merchant of Wilmington, offered at the Red Springs Fair a premium of $5.00 to the young man who had arrived at the age of 21 years who could make affidavit that he had never touched intoxicating liquors as a beverage; and we have seen a very kind letter from Mr. McIntire, enclosing a check, to Mr. J. T. Wright, 22 years old, a son of Mr. T. T. Wright, of this city, who bore off the prize. There are too few young men who can show so spotless a record—youth would be happier, and would oftener secure the guerdons of temporal success, if there were more.

Attention, Please.

Your attention is directed this week especially to the following new advertisements:

J. B. SMITH—Sheriff's Sale.
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MRS. T. G. HALL—Park House.
CHAS. HAIGH—Annual Meeting.
B. R. HUSKE & CO.—"H. H. H."
M. FAULK, JNO. McIVER—Notice.
B. R. HUSKE—Commissioner's Sale.
ROSE & LEAK—Butterick's Patterns.
ROYALL & BORDEN—Your Attention.
CHAS. G. CAIN—Commissioner's Sale.
JOHN G. SHAW—Administrator's Sale.
WARREN PRIOR & SON—Dueber-Hampden Watch Factory.
JNO. H. ROBINSON—Valuable Property for Sale at Auction.

A Valuable Grape.

We are under especial obligations to Mr. A. S. Huske for two baskets of the "Pearce Grape," from the Bordeaux Vineyard—first, that the courtesy permitted us the enjoyment of some delightful fruit; and, second, that it brought to our attention a seedling scuppernong of rare merit. It is a grape of Mr. Jas. M. Pearce's rearing, six years old, and three years in bearing. It lacks the size, but has all the sweetness and delicacy of flavor, of the "Sweet Mish.' It is about the size of the white scuppernong, is almost black when thoroughly ripe, and has a soft, velvety skin, with little or no glaze.

The "Pearce Grape" has some admirable qualities as a grower—its foliage clinging to the vine till late in the season, and thus giving adequate protection to the ripening fruit; the grape, too, drops from the vine very little, which is a virtue not often found in a seedling. Altogether, we think it an acquisition to the viticulture of this section.

Good Bye Charley, &c.

The year 1890 has possibly been attended with more desertions from the Republican party than in any similar period since the war, and what can be said of North Carolina in this respect applies to a large number of other States, both north and south of Mason and Dixon's line. Mr. Neill McKay, of Moore, whose influence in that county has long been regarded as one of the strongest spokes in the Republican wheel, in an open card to the Jonesboro *Leader*, announces his withdrawal from the Anti-Southern Republican party, as follows:

Please allow me space in your paper to say that I have severed my connection with the Republican party. The history of the present Administration and the acts of the colored convention at Raleigh are reasons enough for my taking this course. I expect to support the Democratic ticket, and hereafter work in full accord with the Democratic party.

NEILL McKAY.

Commissioners' Court.

A full Board was present on Monday last, and the minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

W. R. Wicker was granted lincense to retail liquors on Gillespie street, and D. C. McDougald at Liberty Point, subject to the approval of Town Commissioners.

James Calder, of 71st township, was relieved of poll tax on account of age.

The matter of furnishing the inmates of the poor house with suitable clothing was referred to A. B. Williams and Alex. Leslie.

The repair of the bridge over Nicholson's creek was referred to M. A. Gillis.

It was ordered that Geo. O'Hanlon be appointed to collect the insolvent poll tax allowed in settlement with H. C. Fisher, late sheriff.

D. B. Strickland, of Beaver Dam township, was relieved of poll tax for 1890.

Tinsey and Matilda Wilkerson were dropped from the pauper list.

The official bond of J. B. Downing, County Surveyor, was accepted and ordered recorded.

The petition to discontinue public road from Turkey Ford on Mingo to Harnett county line was laid over till next meeting.

It was ordered that the county treasurer be instructed to pay over to the school fund $263.70 from the general county fund on account of error in poll tax in settlement with H. C. Fisher, late sheriff.

T. J. Tolar was allowed to list his land in Flea Hill township without double tax.

It appearing to the Board that there is no suitable or convenient voting place at Williams's Mill, Flea Hill township, the said mill having been torn down; it is therefore ordered that the election be held at Geddie's gin, which is only about a quarter of a mile distant and within sight, and a suitable building be provided—this not being regarded as a change or removal of the voting precinct, and that public notice be given of the same.

The following were appointed as judges of election:

Cross Creek—W. F. Campbell, Geo. A. Burns, John Ochiltree, Geo. H. Henderson.

McKay's Store—W. L. Williams, S. R. Surles, Hector Williams, Henry Surles.

Eureka—W. A. Tillinghast, John McFarland, Robert Dunn, Leonard Smith.

Kingsbury—Geo. D. Elliot, W. B. Ray, Jerry Penny, Dan'l King.

Quewhiffle—R. A. Gillis, J. T. Sinclair, Jesse Corbin, Jas. Monroe.

Hope Mills—A. J. Brannon, O. A. Robbins, Evander McNair, John Wilson.

Pearce's Mills—W. J. Johnson, J. H. Benoy, L. W. Levy, Ephraim Partridge.

Little River—Alex. Smith, A. A. Johnson, Martine Goins, Lester Kelly.

Gray's Creek—Alex. Pate, W. L. Nunalee, John R. Smith, Joshua Evans.

Black River—Z. Taylor, John C. Bain, John Daughtry, James Stewart.

Hales's School House—Irvin Melvin, T. J. Bullard, Adolphus Bruington, Rob't Simpson.

Jessup's Mill—C. H. Cogdell, Jr., E. P. Jessup, J. Carter, Reddin McDonald.

Flea Hill—D. B. Culbreth, D. A. McAllister, Alex. Murphy, Frank Patrick.

Blue's Sand Hills—C. C. Bullard, H. C. Carter, Duncan Smith, Chas. Evans.

Cedar Creek—Decyrus Averitt, J. McP. Geddie.

Newton's—M. N. Monroe, Geo. Robinson, J. H. Monroe, Alex. McNeill.

Ray's—W. J. McCraney, John Black, Lee McLauchlin, Lucien King.

Hawley—Brady.

Hymen's flame has burned with unwonted brightness in our midst for the past few weeks, and loving hearts, attuned to the mellow radiance of autumnal days, still kneel in devotion at the shrine made sacred to connubial joys.

On Tuesday last, at 12 M., Mr. Wm. H. Hawley—one of Fayetteville's esteemed "dispersed abroad," now a successful merchant in Nashville, Tenn.—was married in St. John's Church, by Rev. Thos. Atkinson, to Miss Louie Brady, daughter of Gen. A. G. Brady—whose accomplishments and sweetness of disposition have drawn about her a large circle of friends and admirers in her adopted home. The beautiful church presented a very fair scene in the artistic effect of the softened light through the stained glass windows, blending with the vivid hues of the flowers massed about the altar (on which wax candles were lighted) and the graceful arches of evergreen and golden rod which spanned the aisles.

The ushers were Messrs. T. J. Whitted, Jno. Underwood, A. J. Cook and J. P. Robinson, and the bridal party—greeted as they crossed the vestibule by music with Prof. Scott at the organ—advanced to the chancel rail in the following order: Mr. Geo. Underwood and Miss Alice Hawley; Mr. J. D. Williams, Jr., Jr., and Miss Carrie Pemberton; Mr. Charles Campbell and Miss Bertie McDuffie; flower girls and boys—Katie Hawley, Lillie Slocomb, Thollie Huske and Durema Pearce—costumes of white cashmere, with baskets and bouquets; the groom and his best man, Mr. E. Hawley; the bride, leaning upon the arm of her father, her toilette a dress of green ladies' cloth, satin finished, with tan trimmings; diamonds. The costumes of the bridesmaids were gowns of white albatross and flower hats, and they bore gilt wands decorated with white roses. The united couple left on the west-bound 12:50 train for a wedding journey.

A Summer Home in the "Land of the Sky."

The Asheville *Citizen* of the 2nd inst. has the following:

Mr. Geo. Heck has sold his farm, known as the "Strawberry Hill" place, to Hon. Wharton J. Green, of Fayetteville, for $36,000. The property is 3 miles west of Asheville, on the French Broad river and Hominy Creek, and contains 90 acres. Mr. Heck bought the place 18 months ago from E. G. Carrier and J. A. Clark for about $9,000, and has put about $3,000 worth of improvements on it. Col. Green will finish the house which Mr. Heck has started, and will make it his summer home. This is another evidence of what Asheville real estate can do, and it is the opinion of many business men that the price paid by Col. Green is very cheap.

Col. Green's cultured and æsthetic taste renders him a great lover of the beautiful, and we doubt not that he will make his summer home at Asheville a gem in its setting of mountain, valley and stream. But we stipulate in advance that it shall be only his *summer* home, a temporary sojourning place during the heated term, while here shall continue his people and his permanent abode. Fayetteville and the Cape Fear section cannot afford to part with so influential a Democrat, so good a citizen, so true a man, as Hon. Wharton J. Green.

The Democratic Club.

The Democrats of Cross Creek township—and all Democrats of the county who may be in town at the time, and may feel disposed to join us—are reminded that to-morrow (Friday) night is the time for the regular meeting of the Cross Creek Campaign Club. Experience has shown that these clubs are very valuable aids in the efficient organization of the party at the outset of an important political canvass, and that assistance to the party in achieving success at the ballot-box is proportionate to the active interest taken by the members of the club.

To-morrow night's meeting, especially, should bring out the full strength of the membership and of the Democracy; for, over and above the necessity pressing upon us of thorough preparation for the work which is to begin in Cumberland on the 18th inst., the Democratic Campaign Club of Fayetteville should bear no inconsiderable part in the reception of Senator Vance on Monday next. Let every Democrat make it his individual duty to be present at the meeting to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock.

A New "Kink" in Advertising.

Last Friday a brass band headed what looked at a distance like a hostile body in martial array, and marched through the principal thoroughfares of the city. But it was not the enemy advancing from Warsaw (whose threatened invasion once during the war our City Fathers heroically met in the Town Hall to repel, and passed doughty resolutions to the effect that "if the Yankees came here they came at the peril of their lives"); nor was it the State Guard in blue invading the stamping-ground of our boys in gray: 'twas the "roast beef old England"—two enormous stall-fed oxen paraded by Mr. N. Ingram, the Person street butcher, to remind devotees of the trencher that juicy steaks were to be had next morning. It was novel advertising to the young generation, but to the gray-beards it recalled the days of Tom Drake and his drum and fife, accompanying through the streets a fat beef, "larding the lean earth as he walked."

By the way, the Fayetteville market has latterly been supplied with excellent beef. On Monday afternoon we saw Mr. Byrd selling steaks and roasts from an immense carcass which would have passed muster in the best stalls of Fulton Market.

Religious Notes.

Rev. J. T. Gibbs, Presiding Elder of the district, and conducting Quarterly Conference here last week, delivered two able and forcible sermons on Sunday morning and evening at the Hay Street Methodist Church. A series of meetings, to continue through this week, commenced on Sunday night, with a large congregation, the closing prayer being delivered by Rev. T. P. Barclay, pastor of the Presbyterian Church. Rev. J. W. Jones, of Maxton, is lending his valued aid to this protracted meeting.

At the Methodist Mission Church in Campbellton Rev. C. W. Byrd occupied the pulpit on Sunday night, giving his hearers a strong and thoughtful discourse.

Rev. Albert Coit, now residing at Enterprise, Miss., who has many friends in Fayetteville pleased to greet him, preached acceptably to a full congregation in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday morning last.

Rev. Jarvis Buxton, of Asheville, filled the pulpit in St. John's Episcopal Church last Sunday. His sermon was beautiful and scholarly—the finished production of an intelligent student, delivered gracefully and with feeling. The choir music at St. John's Church is very fine; the evening choral service is especially artistic and well rendered.

Rev. W. B. Oliver, we regret to know, has for the past two or three weeks been suffering from indisposition so severe, in consequence of deep-seated cold, as to confine him a good deal to the house. But his physical ailment has brought no diminution in his intellectual force; and his congregations at the 1st Baptist Church were edified on Sunday morning and evening by two really powerful and eloquent sermons—in the morning at the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, and in the evening a discourse on the burdens of christians.

Come and Hear Him.

Come and hear "Our Zeb" next Monday, good people, all of you—Democrats who want to be strengthened in the faith, and Republicans who are willing to "turn from the error of their ways." An address from Senator Vance, no matter how often one hears him, is always removed from the commonplace; and, like good wine (to use a very original simile), the great North Carlina leader seems to mellow and improve with age.

It is proposed to give Vance a fitting reception, and to accomplish this end Mr. H. L. Cook, chairman of the Democratic County Executive Committee, has invited all good Democrats throughout the county to form a mounted escort in honor of the distinguished visitor—the horsemen to meet in front of the cotton platform on Gillespie street at 10 o'clock on Monday morning.

The ladies are cordially invited to be present at the speaking, in which invitation, as individual Demorats, we heartily join. If Southern men were as universally true as Southern women there would be no Southern Radical Representatives in Congress, and no Southern counties under Radical rule; their manifestation of interest in the progress of the campaign will thrill with some life the lukewarmness of Democratic voters; lastly, we are in sympathy with them whenever any form of entertainment is offered for their enjoyment—for a woman's daily life is a monotonous routine at best.

Mr. Cook informs us that he has invited Mr. W. B. Draughon to act as chief marshal on the occasion, with assistants, Messrs. D. B. Currie, Sydney McDaniel, J. B. Huske. The speaking will take place at 11 A. M. in front of the Overbaugh House, on Green street. The indications are that the crowd on Monday will be very large, and that the escorting cavalcade will be imposing.

Col. Duncan Shaw, of 71st township, will introduce Senator Vance.

Stockholders' Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway Company—the time having been changed from the 1st Thursday in May to the 1st Thursday in October—was held in the city of Wilmington on the 2nd inst., and we are indebted for a summarized report of the proceedings to the experienced and efficient secretary of the Company, Mr. Jno. M. Rose—a brimful living *vade mecum* of valuable railroad information, who has forgotten more of the history of internal improvements in North Carolina than most railroad men ever knew.

His Honor Mayor Fowler presided over the meeting, with Mr. Rose acting as secretary. The attendance of stockholders was more than ordinarily large, giving a full representation of all the counties traversed by the line of road; and, while no matter of special importance was brought up for consideration, the official reports submitted showed the condition and business of the company to be highly prosperous and satisfactory.

The fiscal year of 1890 ended on the 30th of June instead of the 31st of March, as heretofore, and the General Manager's report informs us that the gross earnings of the road for the year were $544,561.59, with operating expenses $312,936.36, leaving as net earnings $231,625.23—a gain of $69,-227.92 over the net earnings of the preceding year. During the past twelve months the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway has carried 151,444 passengers and hauled 240,246 tons of freight, run over a total of 5,848,788 mlies, on a line, with its branches, having a total length of about 362 miles. The main track and most of the branches are laid with 50 lb. steel rails, and the remainder with iron and iron chair rails. The road's water power consists of 23 tanks, its motive power of 20 locomotives (6 of which have been purchased since the last report), and its rolling stock of 6 express, mail and baggage cars, 18 passenger coaches, 210 box cars, 10 live-stock cars, 232 flat cars, 1 conductor's car and 9 shanty cars—of which 125 flat and 125 box cars were built at the Fayetteville shops, besides repairing and renovating passenger coaches, etc.

The General Manager calls attention to the fact that the company is enabled to make its gratifying business exhibit despite circumstances tending to reduce its revenue: poor crops throughout almost all the tributary territory of the line, disastrous floods in 1889, and nearly 100 miles of new road built, on which the traffic was at first necessarily small. The report concludes as follows:

During the coming winter the Charleston, Sumter & Northern R. R. will be completed from Bennettsville, through Darlington and Sumter, to Charleston, giving us direct connection with Charleston, Columbia and Augusta; and, as our western connection through the Norfolk & Western R. R. is an assured fact, giving us direct connection with the coal-fields and the great Northwest, we may look for a very large increase, in the near future, in both passenger and freight traffic.

The committee appointed to pass over and inspect the road made a very favorable report of its condition to the meeting.

The old board of directors was reelected—except that Mr. E. J. Lilly, of Fayetteville, was chosen to fill the vacancy caused by the death of his father, the late E. J. Lilly—and is composed as follows:

Julius A. Gray and D. W. C. Benbow, Greensboro; Jno. D. Williams and E. J. Lilly, Fayettoville; G. W. Williams, Wilmington; K. M. Murchison, New York; C. P. Stokes, Richmond; W. A. Moore, Mt. Aira; W. Lash, Walnut Cove; J. M. Worth, Asheboro; J. T. Morehead, Leaksville; R. T. Gray, Raleigh.

The directors met and reelected the following officers:

Julius A. Gray, President; J. M. Rose, Secretary; J. R. Williams, Treasurer; R. W. Bidgood, Auditor; J. W. Fry, General Manager; W. E. Kyle, General Freight and Passenger Agent; H. L. Fry, Chief Engineer; Hon. Geo. M. Rose, Attorney.

Obituary.

The remains of Mr. M. B. Johnson, who was killed in the railroad accident near Warrior, Alabama, on the 30th ult., were brought to this place on Thursday last, and the funeral services took place on Friday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, from the 1st Baptist Church, Rev. W. B. Oliver conducting the ceremonies, with a large concourse of friends attending. The scene in the church was very affecting—the arrival during the exercises of a brother, Mr. Jno. Johnson, for whom the lid of the casket was removed, that the privilege might be accorded to him of looking for the last time upon the lineaments of the cherished companion of his childhood and youth.

It was a crushing blow to the stricken father and family, for whom the hearts of friends bleed compassionately. Young Johnson was stricken down in the exultant strength of stalwart young manhood, endowed with the impulsive, generous nature so powerful to win warm friends, whose grief will be keen at his untimely taking-off.

It is gratifying to know that both the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and the officials of the L. & N. R. R., in Alabama, were unremitting in their kindness and care after the accident which cost Mr. Johnson his life, the railroad authorities sending Messrs. Wm. Senceerbox and Thos. Warren as an escort of the remains. Mr. M. W. Johnson has written a graceful and touching letter to the Engineers and the Company in recognition of this kindness.

Mr. John MacRae, son of Hon. Jas. C. MacRae, who has been for some time engaged in the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway service, left for Houston, Texas, on Monday last, having been tendered a desirable position in that city. It pains us to see young men of sterling worth like Mr. MacRae leave the community, but our best wishes attend him in his new field of work and usefulness.

Lily Bell.

On Friday evening of next week, the 17th inst., we will have an opportunity of hearing "Lily Bell," a beautiful operetta in 3 acts, by Saroni, enlisting some of our best talent, and prepared and rehearsed under the direction of Prof. Scott. We will give a more extended notice next week.

DUEBER-HAMPDEN WATCH FACTORY.

THE DUEBER-HAMPDEN WATCHES have been adopted by many of the GREAT TRUNK LINES, and are rapidly supplanting all other time-pieces on all important lines of Railway travel, and from whose Conductors, Engineers and Managers we have the most unqualified certificates as to the accuracy of the time-keeping qualities.

By permission we refer to Mr. JOSEPH H. MONAGHAN, of the C. F. & Y. V. R R., who has carried a John C. Dueber for more than sixty days, during which time it showed no variation. We have just concluded arrangements that will enable us to sell all makes of watches at reduced prices.

MR. BERNHARD F. GROHMAN, late of Hartford, Conn., in charge of our Repair Department, makes a specialty of fine watch repairing.

WARREN PRIOR & SON.

Unfinished.

The trial of the four men charged with burning the trestle and obstructing the track of the Cape Faar & Yadkin Valley Railway, commenced on Monday, and is still going on.

Hon B. F. Grady's Appointments.

Hon. B. F. Grady, the Democratic nominee for Congress in this district, will address the people of Harnett on the issues of the day, as follows: Dunn, 11th inst; Bradley's Store, 13th; Lillington (morning), 14th; C. B. McNeill's (evening), 14th.

The appointments for Cumberland will appear in next issue.

Personal Penclings.

Miss Alice Hawley returned home some days ago, after a pleasant visit with friends at Maxton.

Mr. John Y. MacRae, the Raleigh druggist, and one of the progressive men of that city, spent a day or two here last week.

Mr. Geo. Phillips, for some time conductor on the Atlantic Coast Line R. R., and later, on the Wilmington & Sea-Coast R. R., is at home on a visit.

Mr. John Johnson, now living at Salisbury, Md., has been at home for the past few days—summoned hither by the sad and untimely death of his brother.

Capt. J. C. O'Hearn, senior member of the large railroad contracting firm of St. Louis, Mo., is registered at the Hotel LaFayette.

Prof. G. W. Scott has rented Brant's Hall—a pleasant, spacious and convenient room in which to give his instruction in music.

Hundreds of Fayetteville people will exclaim "me too!" when we express our pleasure at shaking hands with Mr. E. J. Hardin, formerly a merchant of this city, and, more recently, of Raleigh, and now connected with the great grocery house of Haviland, Thurber & Co., of New York.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

The copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the firm name of M. Faulk & Co. has been dissolved, commencing with October 1st, 1890. All debts due said firm will be paid only to M. Faulk. M. FAULK.
JNO. McIVER.
Oct 9, 1890. 3t

Sheriff's Sale.

On Wednesday, October 15th, 1890, at 12 M. at Godwin, N. C., I will expose to public sale all the residue of the stock of goods above his exemption as allowed by law, belonging to D. A. C. Denning, to satisfy an execution in my hands against the said Denning.
Terms of sale: cash.
J. B. SMITH, Sheriff
Cumberland County.
Oct. 4, 1890. 1t

Sheriff's Sale.

On Monday, the 10th day of November, 1890, I will sell at the Court House door in the town of Fayetteville, to the highest bidder, for cash, four tracts of Land in Cumberland County, containing about —— acres, and bounded as follows: On Haymount, adjoining Geo. M. Rose and others known as the Hall House; near Fayetteville, adjoining Tillinghast and others known as the Albert Worth Place; 3,932 acres on Little River near McFadyen's Springs; 616 acres on Black Branch to satisfy an execution in my hands for collection against Wright Huske, and which has been levied on said land as the property of said Wright Huske.
J. B. SMITH, Sheriff
Cumberland County.
Oct. 9, 1890. 1t

Commissioner's Sale.

By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Cumberland County, I will on Monday, November 10th, 1890, at 12 o'clock, at the Court House door in Fayetteville, N. C., expose to sale by public auction, that valuable House and Lot on Haymount, known as the John Shaw residence—bounded as in a deed from Sophia H. McLean to John Shaw, registered in Book L, No. 3, Page 250. The above property will be sold subject to the widow's dower.
Terms of sale: One-third cash, remainder at one and two years, with interest from date of confirmation of said sale at 8 per cent on deferred payments. Purchaser to execute notes for deferred payments and title reserved until same be paid.
CHAS. G. CAIN, Clerk
Superior Court, Commissioner.
Oct 1, 1890.

Commissioner's Sale.

By virtue of the decrees of the Superior Court of Cumberland County, N. C., in proceedings against R. S. Huske and B. R. Huske, guardian of R. S. Huske, I will on Saturday, November 8th, 1890, at 12 o'clock at the Market House in Fayetteville, expose to sale by public auction, for cash, the following Real Estate, viz:

1. Lots 4, 5 and 13, on and near the Wilmington Road, part of "The Cade," afterward "Tew Place."
2. All those lands in Rockfish township about three miles from Fayetteville near the Lumberton Road, known as R. S. Huske's Sand Hill Place.
3. An undivided half-interest in all these lots situate in the north-western portion of Fayetteville, described as in a mortgage to the Bank of Fayetteville, registered in Book "L," No. 4, page 173, viz: One 2-acre lot on Mechanic street, and 5 lots on Orange street, being Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the Jessup property.

For further information apply to C. W. Broadfoot or N. W. Ray.
B. R. HUSKE,
Guardian and Commissioner.
Oct. 9, 1890. 1s

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Butterick's Patterns.

So many wish these popular patterns, but do not like to take the trouble and risk of ordering them.

ROSE & LEAK have made arrangements to supply all patterns at

NEW YORK PRICES.

So leave the number of any pattern desired and the *cash* required to pay for it, and ROSE & LEAK will order it for you, guaranteeing its safe and prompt delivery or the return of the money.

Fashion sheets on hand each month to give away.

GOODS SOLD ONLY FOR CASH,
ONE PRICE TO ALL.
Respectfully,
ROSE & LEAK,
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Special attention to the country trade.
MRS. T. G. HALL,
Proprietress.
Oct. 9, 1890. 3m

Annual Meeting.

The Annual Meeting of the Fayetteville Real Estate Agency will be held in the Town Hall on Tuesday night, October 14th, at 8 o'clock sharp.
CHAS. HAIGH, Pres't.
C. L. TAYLOR, Sec'y.
Oct. 9, 1890. 1t

VALUABLE PROPERTY

FOR SALE AT AUCTION.

At the Market House in the Town of Fayetteville, N. C., on Wednesday, the 29th day of October, 1890, at 12 o'clock, I will offer for sale at public auction, for cash, the two valuable Stores on Person street now occupied by Green Ingram, Esq., and Mr. J. Sam. Maultsby.
JNO. H. ROBINSON, Agent.
CHAS. GLOVER, Auctioneer.
Oct. 9, 1890. 3t

Administrator's Sale.

At the residence of the late John C. Blue, I will, on Thursday, October 30th, 1890, at 11 o'clock A. M. sell to the highest bidder at public auction all of the personal property belonging to the estate of the said John C. Blue, consisting in part of a Turpentine Still and Fixtures, Horses, Mules, Wagons, Buggies Farming Utensils, Turpentine Tools, a large lot o Barrel Staves, etc., etc., together with the good will in a thriving Turpentine Business. Terms made known on the day of sale.
JOHN G. SHAW,
Administrator of J. C. Blue.
Sept. 29, 1890. ts

"H. H. H."

Huske's Hardware House

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AT PRICES THAT WILL SATISFY—

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CALL AND EXAMINE.

We received a car load of building material a few days ago, and are daily expecting another. We have on hand the following which we will sell cheap. Come and buy before you make your frames.

2 pairs Double Doors, 4 ft. 6 in. x 7 ft. 6 in. Raised Moulding—4 panel.
1 pr Open Panel Doors, 4 ft x 8 ft.
1 " " " " 3 ft 6 in x 7 ft 6 in.
9 O. G. 4 Panel Doors, 2 ft 6 in x 7 ft 6 in.
8 " " " " 2 ft 8 in x 7 ft 6 in.
1 pr 8 Panel Shutter Doors, 3 ft 4 in x 6 ft 3 in.
1 pr 4 " " " 2 ft 6 in x 6 ft 6 in.
5 pr Sash, 10 x 28—4 lights.
1 Transom, 4 ft x 10 in.
1 " 2 ft 4 in x 9 in.
1 pr Store or Warehouse Doors, 4 ft 6 in x 9 in.
2 " " " " " 4 x 9.
6 prs Roll Slat Blinds, 3 ft 9 in x 8 ft 9 in.
1 pr Slat Blinds, 2 ft 4 in x 6 ft 2 in.
9 " " " 2 ft 9 in x 7 ft 4 in.
1 " " " 2 ft 10 in x 6 ft 8 in.
1 " " " 3 ft x 4 ft 6 in.
4 sets Inside 4 fold Blinds, 2 ft 10 in x 6 ft 6 in.

B. R. HUSKE & CO.
Oct. 9 1890.

THE OLD ORDER CHANGETH,

Giving Place to the New.

Our fall stock is coming in rapidly, and we are now prepared to show the handsomest line of FURNITURE ever offered in Fayetteville, either by us or others.

Our purchases this season have been made with an eye to supplying the wants of those who wish a better class of goods than the Fayetteville market has heretofore afforded.

We cannot tell you how well we have succeeded in this most laudable endeavor, but we will take greatest pleasure in showing our Fine Stock to all who will take the trouble to call and we leave to them the task of judging.

Do Not Order Your Goods Elsewhere

until you have seen our line, and we will prove to you that we can actually *save you money*. The designs we show you this season are *entirely new*.

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All kinds of Seasonable Goods in Dry Goods, Hats, Notions &c. &c. &c.

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Sept. 11, 1890. 6m

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

The undersigned having qualified as executor of the last will and testament of Robert Gilmore, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to his estate to make immediate payment; and all persons having claims against said estate will present them for payment within twelve months from this date, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.
D. A. BRYANT,
Executor of Robert Gilmore.
Cumberland Co., N. C., Sept. 18, 1890. 6pd

Administrator's Notice.

The undersigned having qualified as administrator of John C. Blocker, dec'd, hereby notifies all persons indebted to the estate to make immediate payment and all persons having claims against the estate of his intestate to present them for payment within the time prescribed by law, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery.
O. H. BLOCKER,
Adm'r of John C. Blocker.
R. P. BUXTON, Att'y.
Fayetteville, N. C., Sept. 24, 1890. 6w

GOOD-NIGHT.

F. CURTIS.

"Good-night," he said, as he clasped her hand,
And mentally added the words "my dear."
In hopes that her eyes would understand
What his eyes endeavored to make more clear.

Another "good-night," and then a long
And unbrokon pause of expectancy.
"Would you consider it very wrong
For me—that is, would you angry be?

It seems so frigid to part like this,
With just a clasp of the hands, you know;
Besides it's something you'll never miss,
And then, I give you my word, I'll go."

"I'm not displeased, but if you delay
Much longer," she said, "I give you warning,
The milkman's wagon will come this way;
And then, you see, it will be good-morning."

DUM VIVIMUS, VIVAMUS.

Let us live, let us love while we may;
Life is fleeting.
Joys are brief.
Let us laugh and be happy to-day,
For the morrow may bring us grief.

Life is only a span at the best;
Take its pleasures
While they last,
Cheer the present with laughter and jest,
And forget all the future and past.

Let us live, let us love while we may,
Let to-morrow
Bear its pain;
Let us laugh and be joyous and gay,
And the sunshine may banish the rain.
—*Somerville Journal.*

Farm and Garden Notes.

Look well to the watering of stock.

Keep the wagon axles well greased.

A load of muck is worth a ton of malt.

If you work yourself those around you will work.

A mortgage on the farm is harder to dig out than a sod of wire grass.

A farmer who does not see the sunrise has need of a new pair of eyes.

A nice flock of poultry is essential to every country and suburban home.

Remember that one of the most important cares of the farm is the care of health.

Whoever depends upon the public for a market must consult the wants of the public.

Improve the farm that is under you, and you'll soon have something to stand upon.

Don't let the rays of the sun fall directly on your beehives. Provide some sort of shade.

There is no benefit in applying to your soil any ingredient which it already has in abundance.

As soon as the salt is dissolved, butter may be worked the second time in order to correct any streakiness which the first mixing of salt may have caused.

Cheerful, active labor is a blessing. An old philosopher says: "The firefly only shines when on the wing; so it is with the mind: when once we rest, we darken."

Three-quarters of an ounce of salt to the pound will be the right quantity for most markets for immediate consumption, and one ounce to the pound for packed butter.

Loss of feathers is generally caused by want of green food, or want of dustbath; supply both. Local application: mercurial ointment. The feathers will not return before next moulting season.

There is a Lesson Here.

Southern Farm.]

In a speech before the State Agricultural Society at La Grange, Prof E. B. Stinson said: Recently a Kansas man, boasting of the great fertility of their lands and ridiculing our poor soil, said: "Why, I make sixty bushels of corn per acre on all my land." "And," said a Southern gentleman, who was listening, "what do you get for your sixty bushels of corn?" The man hesitated, and finally said: "fifteen cents per bushel, or $9." "Well," said our Southern friend, "let me give you a few figures. We make twenty bushels of corn on our poor land, worth sixty cents per bushel, or $12, beating you three dollars on your own corn. We grow 200 bushels of sweet potatoes per acre, worth $100—more than ten times as much as you make on your rich Kansas soil. We make 400 gallons of syrup per acre, worth $120, thirteen times as much as you make on your rich Kansas soil. We grow one-third of a bale of cotton, worth with the seed $18, double what you can make on your rich Kansas soil. We frequently make from one to five hundred dollars per acre from fruits and vegetables; or fifty times as much as you can make on your rich Kansas soil." By this time the Kansas man had ceased to boast of his rich soil.

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Gerald McCarthy, N. C. Experiment Station.]

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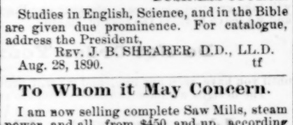

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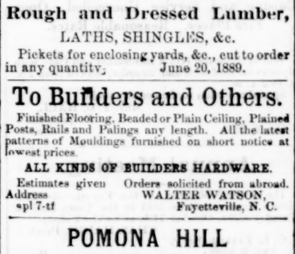

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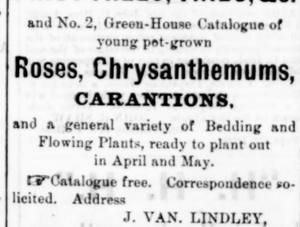

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Very truly yours,
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Yours truly,
JAS. A. GARLICK, M. D.

IRWIN P. O., GOOCHLAND, VA., August 1, 1889

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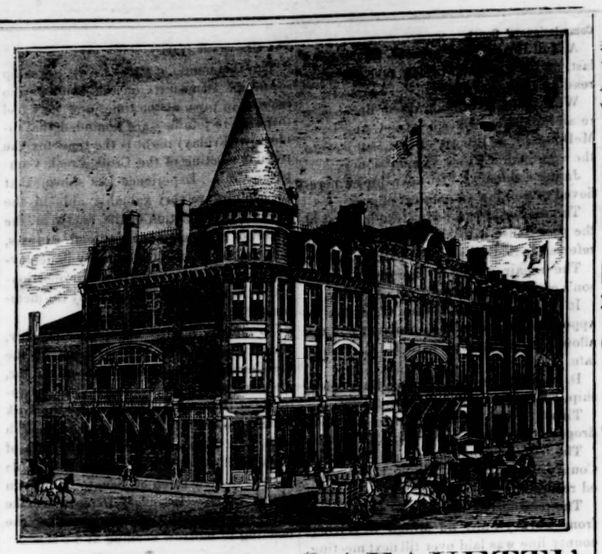

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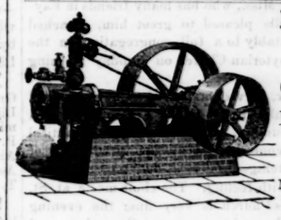

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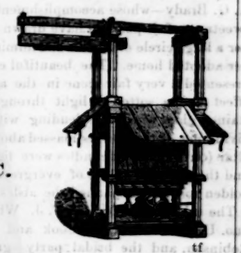

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CONDENSED SCHEDULE.

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NORTH BOUND.

	Daily Except Sunday. No. 1.	Daily Except Sunday. No. 3.	Daily Exc Sunday. No. 15.
Leave Wilmington,	9:00 a m		
Arrive Fayetteville,	12:25 p m		
Leave Fayetteville,	12:50 p m		
Leave Sanford,	2:22 p m		
Arrive Greensboro,	5:00 p m		
Leave Greensboro,	5:10 p m		
Leave Walnut Cove,	6:32 p m		
Arrive Mt. Airy,	8:25 p m		
Leave Bennettsville,		8:20 a m	
Arrive Maxton,		9:35 a m	
Leave Maxton,		9:45 a m	
Arrive Fayetteville,		11:45 a m	
Leave Ramseur,			6:50 a m
Arrive Greensboro,			9:25 a m
Leave Greensboro,			10:10 a m
Arrive Madison,			12:30 p m

SOUTH BOUND.

	Daily Except Sunday. No. 2.	Daily Except Sunday. No. 4.	Daily Exc Sunday. No. 16.
Leave Mt. Airy,	6:00 a m		
Arrive Greensboro,	9:20 a m		
Leave Greensboro,	9:30 a m		
Leave Sanford,	12:19 p m		
Arrive Fayetteville,	1:50 p m		
Leave Fayetteville,	2:15 p m		
Arrive Wilmington,	5:45 p m		
Leave Fayetteville,		3:30 p m	
Arrive Maxton,		5:20 p m	
Leave Maxton,		5:30 p m	
Arrive Bennettsville,		6:45 p m	
Leave Madison,			1:20 p m
Arrive Greensboro,			3:30 p m
Leave Greensboro			3:45 p m
Arrive Ramseur,			6:50 p m

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Condensed Schedule.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

Dated Sept. 10, 1890.	No. 23, Daily.	No. 27, Daily.
Leave Weldon	12 30 P. M.	5 43 P. M.
Arrive Rocky Mount	1 46 "	
Arrive Tarboro	*2 17 P. M.	
Leave Tarboro	10 20 A. M.	
Arrive Wilson	2 20 P. M.	7 00 P. M.
Leave Wilson	†2 30 "	
Arrive Selma	3 30 "	
Arrive Fayetteville	5 30 "	
Leave Goldsboro	3 45 "	7 40 "
Leave Warsaw	4 10 "	
Leave Magnolia	4 24 "	8 40 P. M.
Arrive Wilmington	5 50 "	9 55 P. M.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

	No. 14. Daily.	No. 78. Daily.
Leave Wilmington	12 01 A. M.	9 00 A. M.
Leave Magnolia	1 21 "	10 34 "
Leave Warsaw		10 48 "
Arrive Goldsboro	2 23 A. M.	11 45 "
Leave Fayetteville		19 20 A. M.
Arrive Selma		11 18 "
Arrive Wilson		12 20 P. M.
Leave Wilson	3 03 A. M.	12 37 P. M.
Arrive Rocky Mount		1 10 "
Arrive Tarboro		*2 00 "
Leave Tarboro		10 20 A. M.
Arrive Weldon	4 30 A. M	2 45 P. M.

*Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Scotland Neck Branch Read leave Weldon 3:15 P M, Halifax 3:37 P M, arrive Scotland Neck at 4:25 P M. Greenville 6:00 P M. Returning, leaves Greenville 7:20 A M. Arriving Halifax at 10:10 A M, Weldon 10:30 A M, daily except Sunday.

On Monday, Wednesday and Friday, Local freight leaves Weldon 10:30 A M, Halifax 11:30 A M, Scotland Neck 2:00 P M. Arriving Greenville 5:10 P M Returning, leave Greenville Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday 9:30 A M, Scotland Neck 1:00 P M, Halifax 3:35 P M. Arriving Weldon 4:00 P M.

Train leaves Tarboro, N C, via Albemarle & Raleigh R R Daily except Sunday, 4:05 P M, Sunday 3:00 P M, arrive Williamston N C, 6:30 P M, 4:20 P M, Plymouth 7:50 P M, 5:20 P M. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 6:00 A M, Sunday 9:00 A M, Williamston, N C, 7:10 A M, 9:58 A M. Arrive Tarboro 9:30 A M, 11:20 A M.

Train on Midland N C Branch leaves Goldsboro, N C, Daily except Sunday, 6:00 A M, arrive Smithfield, N C, 7:30 A M. Returning, leaves Smithfield, N C, 8:00 A M, arrive Goldsboro, N C, 9:30 A M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 3:00 P M, arrives Nashville 3:40 P M, Spring Hope 4:15 P M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 10:00 A M, Nashville 10:35 A M, arrive Rocky Mount 11:15 A M, daily, except Sunday.

Train on Clinton branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton, Daily, except Sunday, at 6:00 P M and 11:10 A M. Returning, leaves Clinton at 8:20 A M and 3:10 P M, connecting at Warsaw with Nos 41, 40, 23 and 78.

Southbound Train on Wilson & Fayetteville Branch is No 51. Northbound is No 50. *Daily except Sunday.

Train No 27 South will stop only at Wilson, Goldsboro and Magnolia.

Train No 78 makes close connection at Weldon for all points North daily. All rail via Richmond, and daily except Sunday via Bay Line.

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